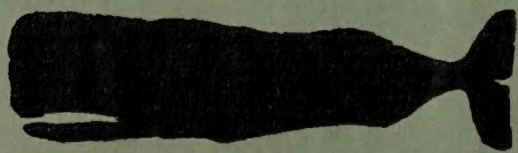




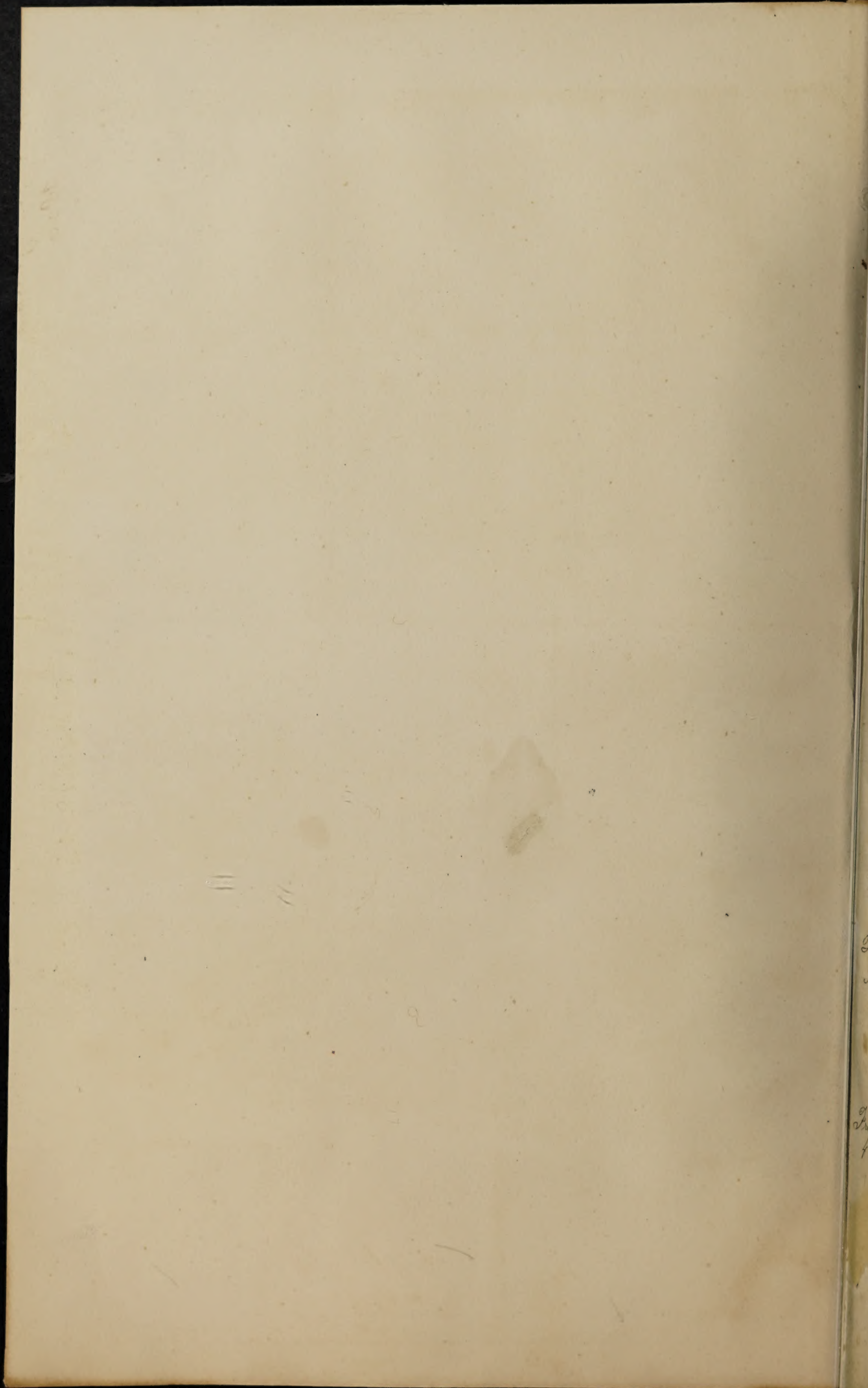
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Remarks On board Sunday 30th

8 All these 24 hours light baffling breezes from S.W. & pleasant weather Course Steered E.S.E.

30 Spoke Ship Hougua Mashier & Bedford & blackfish
latitude By Obs 39-14

longitude at 3 past merid 59° 04

Monday All these 24 hours light & variable breezes & pleasant weather in Company with the Hougua

31 So ends these 24 hours on Board the Ship Laconidas with a light breeze from the S.E. & Starboard tacks aboard & all sail set to the best advantage

latitude By Obs

All these 24 hours light

Tuesday
1st of
August

8 P.M. Commences with lively breezes & squa attended with light rain at 3 P.M. lowered for blackfish with no success the Hougua's boats in Comp with us the remainder part of these 24 hours light & baffling breezes from the S.E. clear & pleasant weather one watch employed in ships duty latitude 39° 34

longitude at 3 Past meridi 55° 49

W
2nd

P.M. Commences with light breezes from S.E. & pleasant weather middle part lively breezes later strong breezes & passing clouds under Double reefs Course E.S.E. at 11-30 lower for blackfish & saw them no more after lower latitude by Obs

Th
3

All these 24 hours lively breezes from the S.E. & good weather Course E.S.E.

long at 3 past mer 19° 49

Friday
4th

P.M. Commences with lively breezes from the S.W. & good weather at 4 P.M. lowered for whale at 6 fell in with a school of Sperm whale Caught 2 by the 2 quarter boats took them along side & laid by them all night later part cut them in latitude

All these 24 hours strong gails & flying clouds under Double & Cloaste reefs

Course E.S.E. the wind S.S.W. & S.W

40° 03 long at 3 past

marks On Board The Ship Leonid^{as.}

Monday 5th from New Bedford towards the Western Islands
the first & middle part of these 24 hours strong
winds from the South & passing Clouds later
part more moderate Commenced bailing
Course E.S.E. Latitude by Obs 40°32'

Longitude at 2 past mer 42°12'15"

Monday 6th All these 24 hours fine breezes from the S.W.
& pleasant weather at 8 P.M. finest bailing

At 9 turned out all reefs & set I.G. Sails

Course S.E. by E. — Latitude by Obs — 40°19'

Longitude by Chro at 5-30 past mer 39°26'

By lunar — — — — 39°41'

Tuesday 7th All these 24 hours light breezes from the
South & fine weather nothing seen these 24h
but grampases & Ends with one watch
employed in Ships Duty Latitude — 40°22'

Wednesday 8th All these 24 hours light breezes from the
South & East & pleasant weather Starboard
tacks aboard later part 2 Sail in sight
to the windward & one to the leeward

Latitude by Obs — 41°10'

Long by Chro at 2 past mer 35°39'

Thursday 9th the first & middle part of these 24 hours
light breezes from the South & clear weather
later part lively breezes & pleasant
at 6 A.M. lowered away all 3 boats
for blackfish & Caught 2 — 5 Sail in
sight of french barke run Down athwart
our Stern & an English barke athwart our
bow hoisted the fish in on deck & cut
them up So Ends these 24 hours

Latitude — — — — 41°20'

Long by Chro at 3 past mer 33°16'

All these 24 hours lively breezes first
part from the South later part from
the N.W. & pleasant weather Course
S.E. at 5-30 A.M. lowered for blackfish
Caught 1 Commenced bailing Saw several
Ships 2 of them steering the same Course
suppose the to be whalers

Latitude — — — —

Long by Chro at 2 — — — —



Reverds Towards The S. Atlantic

fine breezes from the
 later part saw 2 sail
 ends with all sail set to
 September the best advantage the watch employed in
 Ships Duty latitude by Obs 2° 26' N.
 longitude at 6³⁰ A.M. by Cro. 14° 59' W.

All these 24 hours light breezes from the
 Friday 15th South & fine weather standing to the S.E.
 that holds with all sail set to the best advantage &
 his pen in all hands well the watch employed in ships
 and has Duty at 10 P.M. A brig part of our weather been
 seen 23 years standing to the S.W. at 6 A.M. saw a brig of
 the sail our lead guater standing to the Westward
 the seas & at 7 A.M. tacked ship latitude by Obs - - 1° 56' N.
 longitude by Chronometer at 3 past meridia 13° 33'
 may be enjoy

amongst the first & middle part of these 24 hours
 Saturday light breezes from the S.W. & fine weather later
 16 part lively breezes from the South & overcasts
 at 3 P.M. tacked ship at 11 A.M. raised a
 sail ahead latitude 1° 27'
 longitude at 3 30 past meridian 12° 45'

All these 24 hours lively breezes from the
 South good weather & some Cloudy first part
 Sunday saw several sulphur botoms later part
 17 saw a sail of our lead guater
 latitude by Obs - - - 00° 47' N.
 longitude at 2° 30' past merid 13° 34'

All these 24 hours lively breezes from the
 South & good weather all sail set to the
 best advantage & larboard tacks aboard
 all hands well on board & in good spirits
 Mond At 9 30 A.M. we Cross the Equinoctial line
 18 now our ship is splitting the South Atlantic
 seas we have a good number on board that
 never saw the South sea waters Dash
 itself against the bluffs of a ships bows
 before
 latitude by Obs - 00° 05'
 longitude at 2° 30' past merid 15° 19'

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Remarks On Board The

Tuesday In the South Atlantic
9th of September 1837 the first & middle part of
fine breezes & pleasant weather
from the South later part squally & some rain
Ends with fine breezes from the S.S.E. & passing
clouds all sail set to good advantage and
nothing seen from the masthead these 24 hours

latitude by Obs - - - 1° 12' 0"

longitude at 5 P.M. by Chron 16° 56' 4"

Wednesday 20th All these 24 hours lively breezes from the
S.S.E. & pleasant weather with passing
clouds all sail set to the best advantage
all hands well & in good spirits

latitude by Obs 2° 56'

longitude at 5 past meridian 18° 04'

Thursday 21st All these 24 hours lively breezes from the
S.S.E. & pleasant weather larboard tacks
aboard & all sail set to the best advantage
Saw a considerable number of boobies shot
two - - - - - latitude by Obs - 4° 53'

longitude at 5 P.M. - - - 19° 15'

Friday 22nd All these 24 hours lively breezes from the S.S.E.
& passing clouds all sail set to good
advantage nothing seen these 24 hours from
the masthead latitude - - - 6° 58'

longitude at 8 A.M. by Chron - - - 20° 16'

by Lunar - - - 21° 15'

The first part of these 24 hours fine breezes
& some cloudy middle part strong breezes
& some squally took in L.G. sails later part
lively breezes from S.E. to S.S.E. & pleasant
Saturday 23rd weather all sail set to the best advantage

at 6 A.M. saw a sail of our weather bow
on the same tack which proved to be a
barque we past her at 12 meridian she bore
3 points ahead our beam latitude by Obs 8° 47'

longitude at 5 P.M. past, Chron 21° 12'

L.M. Commences with fine breezes from the
S.S.E. & fine weather middle part some
and 24 squally & light rain later part strong breezes
& pleasant weather all sail set to the best
advantage latitude by Obs 10° 41'

longitude at 9 A.M. by Lunar 12° 56'

by Chronometer

In The South Atlantic Ocean Bound on the

Whaling ground in the latitude 35 & long 22 W. ^{Command} H. V. Stuart

Monday 25 the first & middle part of these 24 hours fine breezes from S.S.E. to S.E. later part strong breezes ~~for~~ & good weather latitude - - - - 12° 38' S
longitude at 3° 30' past meridian 22° 37' W

Tuesday 26 All these 24 hours lively breezes from the S.E. 1st part later from the East Clear & pleasant weather 1st part Course S.S.W. later part S.W. All sail set to the best advantage Nothing seen these 24 hours latitude - - - 15° 05' S
longitude at 2, 30 past meridian 23° 22'

Wednesday 27 P.M. Commences with fine breezes from the E.S.E. & pleasant middle & later part light breezes from the E.E. & Clear weather the watch employed in ships duty
longitude at 5 past meridian 25° 57' S

Thursday 28 All these 24 hours light breezes from the E.E. & Calms Clear & warm weather Course Steered S.W. By W. latitude by Obs - 16° 45' S

Friday 29 the first & middle part of these 24 hours light breezes from the E.E. later part lively breezes from the North & fine weather All sail set to the best advantage Course S.W. By W. another 24 hours past & nothing seen all hands well on board the watch Employed in Ships Duty latitude 18° 04' S

Saturday 30 ^{at} 1st & middle part of these 24 hours strong breezes from the E.S.E. & good weather middle part Clouds would rise from the S.W. in 20 minnets from the time first visible above the horizon the hole horizon would be completely clouded in & in a few minnets would settle away to the windward & the stars with splendor would shine for 15 or 20 minnets & then would be hid by a nother over East from the S.W. & so on from 12 middle part untill 9 A.M. then the wind hald to the S.W. Moderately these 24 hours ends with light breezes from the West & good weather latitude 20° 27' S longitude at 2 past meridian 26° 17' W

Remarks On Board the Ship Leonidas

1837 first part of these 24 hours light breezes from
 Sunday the S.W. Middle & later part light airs & Calms
 1st Ends with with light breezes from the S.W. &
 Day of October Clear weather with all sail set to the best advantage
 At heavy swell from the S.W. latitude by Obs 21°00'

Monday All these 24 hours light breezes first & middle
 2 part of it from the S.W. & Cloudy weather
 later part from the S.E. & pleasant weather
 At 10 P.M. tacked ship to the N.W. So Ends
 these 24 hours & nothing seen all hands well
 the watch employed in Ships duty
 latitude 21°46'

Tuesday the first & middle part of these 24 hours
 3 light breezes from the S.E. & pleasant
 later part lively breezes from the S.E.
 at 6 A.M. set F.I.M. Studingsail
 Course S.W. latitude by Obs — — 23°00'

Wednesday First & middle part of these 24 hours
 4 light breezes from the East & Cloudy later
 part lively breezes from the S.E. & rainy
 weather Course steered S.W.

Thursday the first & middle part of these 24 hours
 5 lively breezes from S.E. to North at 8 A.M.
 the wind hald to the N.W. the remainder part
 of these 24 hours light breezes Cloudy weather
 & some rain No observation

Friday the first & midd part of these 24 lively breezes
 6 from the North thick & rainy weather part
 of the time squally attended with thunder
 & lightning later part light breezes & fine
 weather bent the Cutting falls & M Stairsail
 Saw a Goney latitude by Obs 29°26'
 longitude at 2 past meridian 26°51'
 By lunar at 3 past meridian 26°28'18"

Saturday All these 24 hours light breezes from the S.W.
 7 Clear & pleasant weather the watch employed
 in Ships Duty Saw several whale birds
 Course S.W. latitude by Obs

In The South Atlantic Ocean ^{Commander} H. N. Sturges

Monday 8 October P.M. Commences with light breezes from the N.W. & fine weather middle part thick rainy & squally weather later part strong breezes from West to N.W. passing Clouds with squalls attended with rain saw several hump back whale & a good number of whale birds P.M. tent and bent the fore topsail & bent a Cruising sail on bent the flying Gib & lower S. sail & stowed them away Course S.W. Latitude $32^{\circ}34'$ the air is getting some chilly

Monday 9 the first part strong W. & N.W. winds & passing Clouds at 6 P.M. reefed the M. sail & Gib Middle part more moderate the wind from the North at 1 P.M. the wind shifted to the S.W. attended with showers of rain & a rough sea on at 6 P.M. strong gails took in F. & M. T. sails at 8 took in F. sail set M. staisail at 12 meridian blowing heavy latitude by obs = $33^{\circ}48'$

Tuesday 10 P.M. Commences with heavy gails from the S.W. & heavy squalls attended with rain at 2 P.M. goes wing the M. T. sail & set a close reef mizen & turned up the waist board now our ship is heaving to under M. & M. staisails close reef mizen & a goes wing M. T. sail a bad sea running Cloudy weather & heavy squalls attended with rain middle part the weather better the wind much the same later part more moderate set F. sail heading to the S.E. a good number of whale birds about our ship heaving very Dry & Easy through the gail Latitude $33^{\circ}24'$ Longitude at 4 P.M. by Chro $24^{\circ}26'$

Wednesday 11 P.M. Commences with strong winds from the S.W. & Cloudy weather at 1 P.M. set C reef F. T. sail & M. T. sail turned the reefs out the spanker at 3 set Double reefs M. T. & Gib Middle part light airs & pleasant at 2 P.M. a breeze sprung up from the West ends with strong winds from the N.W. & over casts under single reefs sent down M. T. G. yard & I. M. stiding sail booms Course S.W. Latitude $34^{\circ}10'$

Remarks On Board The Ship Leonidas

1837 P.M. Commences with strong winds from the E.W. & hazy weather at 10 P.M. left to the wind under Cloast reef M.T. sail blowing heavy & some cloudy at 3 A.M. the wind halld Thursday 12th of October to the West in a heavy squall attended with rain at 6 were round to the N.E.W. the remainder part blowing hard & heavy squalls attended with rain & hail & a rough sea on latitude 35° 16'

Friday 13th the first & middle part of these 24 hours heavy gails & harder squalls later part more moderate at 6 a.m. were ship headed to the S.E. Sat P. sail & C.R. M.T. sail saw a ship of the tea beam heading to the S.E. saw pinbacks so ends with strong S.W. gails these 24 hours sat B.C. watches latitude by Obs 34° 44'

Saturday 14th All these 24 hours strong gails first part from the S.W. later from the West & some cloudy later part under Cloaste reefs heading to the South saw 2 white whale lowerd 1 boate could not fassen the whale going fast to the N.W. Sat. ship of our tea beam latitude by obs 35° 32' longitude at 3 P. meridian 22° 23'

Sunday 15th P.M. Commences with strong West winds & good weather under short sail saw 2 white whale going to the N.W. to rugged to lower spoke the ship Chily Capt. Russell 1 whale shortend sail & hedded to the North at 4 A.M. were ship headed to the S.W. the remainder part strong gails from West & hazy weather saw no whale 4 ships in sight latitude 35° 41' under Cloast reefs longitude at 5 past meridian 22° 15'

Monday 16th P.M. Commences with strong winds from West & hazy weather at 4 P.M. lowerd for a whale could not fassen were ship & headed to the North at sunset shortend sail 7 ships in sight saw several whale at a Distance later part strong gails from W & N & some cloudy under full reefs standing to the N.W. saw no whale spoke ship Blackstone of Boston Chesapeake no whale 5 ships in sight

On Whaling grounds in the B. Sea Ocean

the first & middle part of these 24 hours
1837 strong W. winds & cloudy weather later part
thick fog & rainy at 10 A.M. the shifted to the
S.W. & cleared of the fog at 11 30 lowered for a

Tuesday wrought whale & did not see him after so ends

17th these 24 hours all sail set light south wind
cloudy & cloudy weather 4 ships in sight first part
spoke the ships On Mariah of Newfoundland No. whale
No observation

the first & middle part of these 24 hours light
breezes from S.S.E. to East & cloudy later
Wednesday part strong W.W. gails thick & rainy weather
18 heighing. Ho under Cloast reef M.T. sail & staisails
heading to the S.W. No observation

Thursday Commences with strong gails from
the W.W. thick & rainy weather at 1 the shifted
to the S.W. more moderate & better weather
were ship headed to the W.W. at 4 sat
19 Moderate maid all sail heading to the West
2 ships in sight at 12 meridian light breeze
from South & fine weather No whale but
finbacks latitude $35^{\circ} 51' S$
longitud at 3 past meridian $23^{\circ} 50' W$

the first & middle part of these 24 hours
light breezes from the S & E & cloudy weather
Friday later part strong gails from the E.W. E.
20 & rainy weather at 10 took in E & M.T. sails
were ship headed to the S.E. spoke the
ship Venus of Lynn No oil saw a great
number of birds

all these 24 hours strong gails from W.E.
Saturday to W.W. & rainy weather & some fog heighing
21 to under Cloast reef M.T. sail staisails & mizen
Leeward Tacks aboard M.

Sunday Commences with strong gails from
the North & rainy weather & foggy middle
22 & later part strong gails from W.W. to West
passing Clouds heighing to all these 24 hours
heading to the W.W. latitude $34^{\circ} 38' S$
longitude at 9 A.M. by Chron $21^{\circ} 37' W$

Ship Leonidas Cruising in the S.A. 1837

Monday 13th these 24 hours strong gails from West to
W. & P. & passing Clouds 1st & later part heading
to the North Middle part to the S.W. Saw 3
ships heighing too the masts of the time
later part saw 4 right whale all going to the
S.W. to rugged to Core latitude By Obs 34° 49'
longitude at 6:30 A.M. 22° 19'

Tuesday 24th P.M. Commences with strong breezes from the
West & good weather at 2 turn out 1 reef out the
M.T. sail. Sat T. & M. & G. Middle & later part
moderate & good weather all sail sat steering
S.E. Wind S.W. Saw finbacks 3 ships in sight
latitude By Obs — 35° 20'

Wednesday 25th first part lively breezes from the North & Cloudy
weather middle part strong breezes with rain
& fog later part from S.W. & fair under Double
reefs. Spoke ship James New Bedford Taber
one whale 7 ships in sight 1st part spoke
ship American Sagharber Pennens 14 months
out 100 blb 2 whale on this ground so Ends
heading to the S.W. latitude 35° 31'
longitude at 3 past merid 20° 28' W.

Thursday 26th P.M. Commences with strong breezes from
the S.W. & fine weather middle part moderate
later part light rains the Wind East steering
North saw & Chaist a right whale with
No success. Spoke ship Margaret of Newport
14 months out 250 blb Capt. Wilson 3 ships in sight
at 11 took a squall from the S.E. attended with
light rain took in M.T. sail steering to
the North No Observations

Friday 27th All these 24 hours strong S.E. gails & Drizzle
rains steering S.W. & until 4 P.M.
then left to the wind under Close reef
M.T. sail hald out the Mizzen & let her heigh
heading to the S.W. Saw several ships
heading to the S.W.

For Whale Herman V. Stuart Commander

At these 24 hours strong gails from S.E. to S.S.E.
& heavy squalls & light rain heading to the S.W.
Saturday under Cloast reef M. S. sail Stairsails & mizen

28 Saw 2 ships 1 of the lee bow & the other of the
October weather quater Latitude ——— 35° 10'
Longitude at 3 past meridian 22° 25'

the first & middle part strong gails
from S.S.E. & heavy squalls attended with
light rain later part more moderate Sat
Sunday Cloast reef J. sails & K sail at 6 P.M. wore

29 Ship to the Eastward 1 ship & 1 barque in sight
at 7 A.M. wore again & headed to the westward
part a barque supposed it to be the Cable
first part saw 2 White whale So Ends Wind S.W.

Latitude ——— 35° 02'
Long at 3 past meridian 22° 31'

first & middle part of these 24 hours lively
breezes from the S.W. & passing claudes later
light breezes pleasant & smooth sea heading
to the Westward all these 24 hours first part spoke
Monday Ship General Pike New Bedford Capt

30 1 whale struck & kild 3-80 lb whale & lost
then in a gail So Ends 1 ship in sight & the
Leonidas with all sail Sat Latitude

34° 34' S

Longitude at 2 past merid 24° 08' W

first & middle part small breezes from
S.W. & pleasant weather 1 sail in sight
bearing N.W. at 7 double reef J sails
& headed to the East at 3 A.M. the wind
Tuesday shifted to the N.E. at 6 saw 2 whale lowerd
31 without success these 24 hours Ends with
strong N.E. winds & some clauday all sail
sat & larboard tacks aboard

Latitude by Obs 34° 28'

Longitude at 2-30 past mer 23° 19'

P.M. Commences with strong N.E. wind
& clauday middle part some rain & fog later
Wednesday part Moderate North winds & flying
1st fog claudes all sail sat steering S.E. saw no
of whale first part spoke Ship American
Latitude

34° 48'

Remarks On Board Ship Leonidas

1857 L. M. Commences with light breezes from Thursday A.M. & some foggy middle & later part 2nd of forenoon lively breezes & flying clouds first part steering to south later part heading to the westward saw 3 ships & a number of finbacks & few birds latitude $35^{\circ}34'$ longitude at 3 part meridian by chro $25^{\circ}24'$ by lunar $25^{\circ}09'45''$

Friday 3 All these 24 hours lively breezes from the North & fair weather first part spoke ships Stanington of N. London 250 sperm & Blackstone 1 whale later part Chast 4 white whale & could not fassen saw several seal most of them whaling latitude $35^{\circ}44'$ longitude at 2 part merid $23^{\circ}46'$

Saturday 4 All these 24 hours strong breezes from N.E. & to S.W. & several squalls under Double reefs & hale 2 sails first part saw 5 ships A. barque to the windward took a whale along side Chast 4 whale & could not fassen later part Chast 2 whale could not fassen & ships in sight latitude $35^{\circ}48'$ longitude at 3 part meridian $23^{\circ}29'$

Sunday 5 All these 24 hours strong breezes from the N.W. & some squalls later part Chast 2 white whale & could not fassen saw a good many ships saw the barque to the windward several ships Chast whale without success latitude $35^{\circ}56'$ longitude at 3 part merid $23^{\circ}25'$

Monday 6 All these 24 hours strong N.W. winds & squally weather first part under single reefs later part Double reefs L.M. land for a whale without success saw several ships whaling & saw no ship blue down latitude $34^{\circ}55'$ longitude at 3 part merid $22^{\circ}34'$

Tuesday 7 All these 24 hours strong winds from N.W. to N.E. & some squally at 8 wore ship to the North later part saw several finbacks when M.B.G. sail & bent another in its place do ends these 24 hours under Double reefs ship hauled first part spoke ship herald sailing barret fassen latitude $34^{\circ}19'$ longitude at 4 part merid

Cruising In The S. Atlantic Ocean 1837

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L. M. Commences with strong W. S. W. winds
 Wednesday & passing Claudes heading to the S. W. under Double
 2nd of Hovecreeps & Courses at 1 loard all 3 boats for 4th gain
 of 3 Wright whale without success at 5 saw a
 good number of finbacks at 6 loard for 1 whale
 without success at sunset Shortend Sail for the
 night heading to the South ship herald in sight
 at 12 middle part wore to the westward at 5 30
 L. M. loard for 4 whale at 7 loard for 2 at 9
 loard again for 2 all without success the whale
 are as shy as the Devil so Ends these 24 hours
 all sail set heading to the westward Wind
 S. W. & pleasant with smooth sea so sail in sight



G & B
 is married

Latitude — 33° 58' S



Longitude at 2 part meridian 23° 28' W

L. M. Commences with light S. W. Winds & pleasant
 weather Saw 3 Wright whale going to the westward
 part at 1 tacked ship to the S. S. E. at 4 spoke
 Thursday Barque Clarisa Clarke New Bedford 14 months
 9th out 2 white & 1 sperm whale at 8 wore ship to
 the westward at 8 L. M. loard struck & got 4
 Wright whale took him along side & commenced
 cutting so Ends these 24 hours with 4 light breeze
 from the South & pleasant weather several
 whale insight at 4 Distance latitude 33° 49'



Longitude at 6 part meridian 23° 15'

L. M. Commences with light breezes from
 S. S. E. pleasant & smooth sea loard for whale
 without success finesht cutting & started
 Friday the works took in sail for the night the watch
 10 Employed in bailing later part fine breezes
 from the S. E. & fine weather steering to the S. W.
 all sail set Saw 4 barque of the Sea Lion
 Saw 4 Chaist 1 whale so Ends these 24 hours
 all hands Employed in bailing latitude 33° 36'

All these 24 hours fine breezes from the South
 Saturday & pleasant weather all hands Employed in bailing
 11 first part standing to the westward later
 part to the S. W. Saw 2 ships & no whale

Latitude 33 1/2
 Longitude at 4 L. M. 23° 41'

Ship Leonidas Cruising For Whale

1837 P.M. Commences with fine breezes from the S.W. pleasant at 2 spoke Barque Jason Paul & Oliver on 3 wright & 1 sperm whale at 3 finest hailing all hands employed Sunday in stowing down at 6 finest stowing down Rof Havens took in sail heading to the E. & E. at 12 middle part wore ship to the South Ends with light E. & E. breezes clear pleasant warm & smooth sea & no whale but finbacks 2 ships in sight so ends with all sail set & larboard tack aboard

latitude

35° 33'

long at 2 past meridian

23° 31'

P.M. Commences with fine breezes from the E. & E. & fine weather 6 ships in sight 1 hailing Monday & 1 cutting middle & later part fine breezes from E. & E. to North & cloudy weather at 10 loar for 2 wright whale struck 1 & cut the line by a 2nd harpoon saw 3 ships take whale first part spoke ship layd 2 wright & 1 sperm whale & ship lancear 1 whale No Observation

first & middle part of this 24 hours light breezes from the E. & E. & cloudy weather Tuesday later part lively breezes & light rains all 14th Sat heading to the E. & W. first part heading to the E. & E. loar for 2 whale Could not pass later part loar for 2 & could not pass saw 6 ships & 3 or more hailing

All these 24 hours lively breezes first part from the North & same rain middle & later Wednesday part foggy later wind from E. 6 ships 15 in sight first part loar for 4 whale Could not pass latitude by Obs 34° 24'

longitude at 2 past meridian 22° 41'

first & middle part lively breezes from E. & E. to East & foggy at 3 A.M. the the wind shifted Thursday to the S.W. & thick fog heading to the E. & E. 16 A.M. until 10 A.M. wore ship to the S.W. the fog cleared so ends these 24 hours with flying clouds 5 whale ships in sight 2 hailing 1 Dutch merchantman past under all sail stowing E. & E.

latitude

longitude at 5 past meridian

In The South Atlantic Ocean

1837

P.M. Commences with strong S.W. winds
 & flying Clouds steering S.E. 5 whale ships
 November in sight 2 boiling At 5 P.M. A merchant
 Friday ship part over to the windward steering E.S.E.
 17 royals & royal studding sails & Mizen T.M. studding
 sail set at 7 took in sail heading to the S.S.E.
 middle & later part light breezes from N.W.
 & some foggy steering S.E. & East at 11 A.M.
 Saw a whale board without success So ends these
 24 hours Saw a good deal of brit latitude about $35^{\circ}00'$

first part lively breezes from North Cloudy
 & some fog at 2 A.M. the wind halled to N.W.
 Saturday strong breezes & rainy later part moderate clear
 18 & pleasant weather first part saw 8 or 10 whale
 & a plenty feede board 3 times without success
 heading to the E.S.E. at 12 middle part wore ship
 to the west at 5 made sail at 6 wore ship to
 the North saw 2 whale board 1 boate the whale
 started to windward saw 2 ships to the windward
 steering to the S.E. So ends with plenty
 in sight latitude $34^{\circ}33'$ South
 longitude at 2 past merid $21^{\circ}32'$

first & middle part light airs from the West
 & Calms heading to the South later part light
 breezes from the North Clear & pleasant weather
 Sunday steering N.W. at 10-30 board for 2 whale & did
 19 not see them after saw 2 ships to the westward.
 So ends these 24 hours on board the ship Leonidas
 all sail set & all hands well except 1 that
 hurt his leg when first on the ground & he is
 on the mending hand May the god that rules
 the whale Direct our Course where they are
 plenty & easy to be caught latitude $34^{\circ}50'$
 longitude at 7 A.M. by lunar $21^{\circ}10'15''$
 by Chro — $21^{\circ}32'00''$

first & middle part of these 24 hours light breezes
 Monday from the North & pleasant weather spoke ship Pacific
 20 Colins 3 wright & 1 sperm whale Saw & Chaist them
 without success later part lively breezes & flying
 Clouds Saw & Chaist 2 more whale all without success
 later part steering S.S.E. latitude $35^{\circ}19'$
 longitude at 2 past merid $20^{\circ}24'$

On Board Ship Leonidas

17 first & middle part lively breeze from North
 & mostly cloudy standing to the East
 at 7 A.M. wore ship to the N.E. the remainder
 of the forenoon strong gails & some light rain at 10
 split the foresail saw 40 whale the water blue
 & few birds no observation.

Longitude at 7 A.M. by Chron 17° 19'

18 first & middle part heavy gails from N.B. & E
 thick & rainy weather heaving to under Coast
 Wednesd reef M & J Gail M Stairsail mizen & reef foresail
 at 5 P.M. took in the foresail at 9 split M
 stairsail at 1 A.M. the wind moderated halled
 to the N.W. wore ship to the N.E. Ends with
 strong breezes & good weather under Double
 reefs saw a good many finbacks

Latitude 35° 27'

Longitude at 3 Past Merid 17° 30'

Thursday 19 first & middle part strong winds from
 the N.B. & N.W. with passing clouds
 later part lively breezes & pleasant weather
 at 1 P.M. saw 2 whale at 10 A.M. saw 1 whale
 heading to the North all these 24 hours

Latitude 34° 26'

Longitude at 7 A.M. by lunar 19° 01'
 by Chronometer 19° 11'

Friday 20 first part fine breezes from N.W. & pleasant
 weather saw 2 right whale board without success
 at 9 wore ship to the N.E. under Double reefs
 later part strong gails & passing clouds
 saw 1 whale going to the windward fast
 saw a great number of finbacks birds &
 some feed all these 24 hours. So Ends under
 Coast reefs heading to the N.E. Latitude 34° 29'

Longitude at 3 past merid 17° 47'

Saturday 21 first & middle part of these 24 hours strong
 gails from West & some cloudy at 7 P.M.
 wore ship to the west N.B. & W. later part
 moderate wind all sail heading N.W.
 saw a Christ 1 whale could not pass
 saw a good many finbacks

Latitude 34° 16'

Longitude at 3 past merid 17° 45'

Cruising In The South Atlantic Ocean

1837 first & middle part light W.S.W. breezes & Calms
 later part lively breezes from N.W. & overcast
 Sunday heading to the W.S.W. with all sail set saw & board
 26th for 2 whale without success saw 2 whale ships
 of November 1 whaling saw a great number of finbacks &
 a good deal of whale feede latitude - - - 34° 26'
 longitude at 2 past Meridian - - - 21-05

first & middle part lively breezes from N.W.
 & hazy weather later part strong gails some
 fog & rain saw 2 whale galed them with the
 Monday ship board without success saw 5 ships spoke
 27 ship Loueazer 2 whale So Ends with foggy
 & unpleasant weather No observation heading
 to the westward

first & middle part strong gails from
 N.W. & first part some rain at 5 P.M.
 a heavy squall from N.W. attended with
 heavy rain Cleast reefed M & T sail took in the
 Tuesday foresail saw several whales to ruged to load
 at 6 wore ship to the North at 12 wore to
 28 the S.W. later part saw several whale Chaist
 one without success Ends moderate & pleasant
 1 ship 15 bargues in sight latitude 34-55
 longitude at 5 P.M. 21 43

first & middle part light breezes from N.W.
 & fine weather saw & Chaist 1 whale without
 success spoke Barke Franklin Sugarharbor
 Wednesday 3 whale Do Monmouth Coalspring L. L. 4 whale
 29 later part lively breezes & fair all sail
 set standing to the Westward saw nothing
 1 Barque in sight latitude 35-13
 longitude at 2 past-M 22° 17' 30"

first part lively breezes from the North & hazy
 weather at 2 P.M. laced ship to the E. & spoke
 Barque Monmouth Goodwin Plymouth 2 whale
 Thursday middle part strong breezes & squally Ends with
 30 lively breezes from W.S.W. & pleasant 5 sail in
 sight our ship with all sail set standing to
 the W.W. latitude by Obs 34

Remarks On Board Ship Leonidas

1837

first part light breezes S.W. & pleasant at
Friday 1 P.M. board all 3 boats & caught a whale &
1st Cut him in later part strong breezes from
of Deaseville S.W. & fair Double reefs & set all hands employed
in hailing Saw 1 whale Latitude $34^{\circ} 12'$
Longitude $23^{\circ} 15'$ Past Meridian



all these 24 hours strong Double reef breezes
Saturday & same squally Employed in hailing
2 first part saw 6 whale board without
success Latitude $33^{\circ} 36'$

first & middle part of these 24 hours strong
Sunday gails from W.N.W. & squally weather at 2 P.M.
3 Took in P & Mizen S. Gails later part strong S.W.
gails & rainy weather heaving to leading to the S.E.
at 10 P.M. fine sh't Hailing Ends with passing
Clouds Latitude

first & middle part strong S.W. gails &
Monday heavy squalls later part more moderate
4 under Double reefs saw several whale in
the morning to rudd to star at 11 board
without success first part stood down
Latitude $33^{\circ} 36'$

Longitude at 3 past Meridian $22^{\circ} 46'$

first & middle part light breezes from S.W.
Tuesday & pleasant weather Saw several whale Chast
5 without success later part small breezes from
the North & pleasant saw 1 whale steering S.W.
Latitude By Beckoning $33^{\circ} 46'$
Longitude at 3 P.M.



P.M. Commences with lively breezes from
North & fair at 2 board struck & killed & took a whale
Wednesday along side Cut him in at 11 started the works
6 later part strong gails from N.W. & overcast
all hands employed in hailing & other sundry jobs
heaving to under Close reef M.T. sail for sail
Mizen & Main sail Latitude — — $33^{\circ} 46'$

Longitude at 2 Past Meridian

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19

first & middle part strong gails from
the North & cloudy weather Saw 2 whale
Thursday to rugged to loar later part More Moderate
7th thick fog & some rain & watch Employed in
Deasemb hailing Saw several whal board without
succes so Ends with thick fog

No Observation

first & middle part of these 24 hours lively
breezes from North foggy & rainy weather
Friday later part light breezes & pleasant weather
8th all hands Employed in Stowing Down saw
1 whale at 3 P.M. spinesht Standing Sailing

latitude

34° 18' S

longitude at 3 Last merid 22° 37' W

P.M. Commences with light breezes from
North & pleasant weather saw 2 whale later
part lively breezes from N.W. & pleasant

Saturday Saw 3 whale going fast to windward past barge

9 Franklin of Sagharlor hailing so Ends these
24 hours with all sail set heading to the Eastward
Saw A good deal of feed - latitude

34° 17'

longitude at 3 past meri 22° 29' 45"

All these 24 hours ~~light~~ lively breezes from North

Sunday & good weather first part board struck & lost
10th by breaking of A harpoon later part Chaist
Several others & Did not faren so Ends these
24 hours 1 barge in sight to windward

No observation

All these 24 hours fine breezes & fair weather
first part Saw A Chaist several whale & could

Monday not faren A plenty feed A few birds & 1 ship
11th in sight later part Saw 1 whale board without
succes Standing to the East N.E. wind North
Clear & pleasant weather O latitude

34° 27' S

longitude at 2 P.M. 21° 57' W

P.M. Commences with light breezes & pleasant
weather standing to the N.W. saw two whale

Tuesday going to the N.W. fast later part light breezes
12th from West some fog & light rain ends with light
breezes from S.E. & some light rain Saw several
inbacks steering N.W. No observation

Cruising In The South Atlantic

1837 first & middle part of the 24 hours light
breezes from S.E. to East & same & cloudy
Wednesday later part lively breezes from N.E. clear
13th & pleasant weather saw about 1500.0000 of
Pinnbacks & plenty of feede 1 ship of the
sea saw hailing steering N.W. all these
24 hours an hour M.T.G. sail repaired
& bent it again saw no right whale

Latitude by Obs. $33^{\circ}23'$

Longitude at 3 Last Merid $22^{\circ}56'$

first part fine breezes from the N.E.
pleasant weather steering S.S.W. saw
a great number of pinnbacks & plenty
Thursday feede saw 1 right whale board without
14 Success at sunset shortened sail for
the night heading to the Eastward
middle & later part lively breezes from
North & flying clouds later part
steering to the south & to the west
saw several pinnbacks Latitude $34^{\circ}08'$

Longitude at 8 P.M. $22^{\circ}32'$

first & middle part of these 24 hours lively
breezes from N.E. & flying clouds saw
several whale struck one & lost by the
harpoon Lurving at 8 P.M. spoke ship

Cicero - saw New Bedford 2 whale
the wind shifted to the south with rain

Friday 15th & fog saw several whale so ends these
24 hours with strong S.E. wind & cloudy
steering to the Eastward under double reefs
a heavy swell from S.W. No Observation

first part strong breezes from S.E. &
cloudy weather under double reefs saw
Saturday several whale board without success
16th later part strong gails from East &
same rain under short sail saw 1 whale
heading to the N.E. No Observation

Ocean for Whale Herman V. Stuart

17th these 24 hours strong gails from East
Sunday to W.E. Cloudy weather & some rain under
short sail & no whale weather first part
saw 1 whale later 2 & 1 ship in sight
No Observations

18th these 24 hours strong gails from N.W. E.
Monday to North Cloudy & some rain under short
sail later part saw 1 whale spoke ship
Pacific Collins Rumbold G Wright & 1 sperm
whale Ends more moderate latitude 33° 03'
Longitude at 4 P.M. 23° 16'

19th first part fresh breezes from N.W. W.
& foggy weather Middle & later part
Tuesday light breezes from N.W. to S.W. & some
fog saw 4 whale board without success first
part heading to the N.E. later part to the
W. 3 ships in sight & cutting No Observations
Saw a plenty of feds & few birds
Longitude at 3 P.M. 22° 45'

20th All these 24 hours light breezes &
pleasant weather first part from the
Wednesday South later from East at 6 30 P.M.
struck 4 whale & parted line 5 ships
in sight & cutting & hauling later part
Saw nothing 4 ships in sight
Latitude 34° 36'
Longitude at 3 P.M. 22° 29'

21st All these 24 hours light breezes from East
to W.E. & pleasant weather first part saw
1 whale 3 ships in sight later part saw
1 whale board struck & killed took along
side & cut him in 40 Ends these 24 hours
5 ships in sight stove the waist board
Longitude 22° 21'



Remarks On Board Ship Leonida

- 1837 All these 24 hours light North winds
 clear & pleasant weather first part 2
 Friday 22 Ships & 2 bargues in sight all bailing
 later part 5 in sight & cutting 3 bailing
 Saw 1 wright whale & plenty finbacks
 Standing to the Eastward All these 24 hours
 Longitude at 8 by Chro $21^{\circ}47'$
 by lunar at 8 A.M. - $21^{\circ}44'$
 Latitude - - - $34^{\circ}45'$
- All these 24 hours light North winds
 & good weather middle part a short shower
 Saturday 23 later part clear & pleasant all hands employed
 in bailing first part later pouring down
 6 ships in sight Saw no whale
 Latitude $34^{\circ}23'$
 Long at 2 part M. $20^{\circ}26'$
- first & middle part of these 24 hours light
 North winds & pleasant weather 9 ships
 in sight 3 bailing & Saw 2 take whale along
 Sunday 24 side Saw one whale & a greater number
 of finbacks later part strong breezes &
 hazy weather Saw 1 whale going past 5 ships
 in sight spoke ship Ann Maria Newland
 1050 bbls latitude $34^{\circ}42'$
 Longitude at 2 P.M. $21^{\circ}05'$
- first & middle part of these 24 hours fresh breezes
 from North & smoky weather later part
 fresh gails flying clouds & smoky under
 Double reefs Standing to the E. & saw
 Monday 25 A greater number of finbacks & 1 wright
 whale that had a harpoon & a line fast
 to him galed him with the ship board
 without success So Ends these 24 hours
 no ships in sight latitude by Obs $34^{\circ}26'$
 Longitude at 2 P.M. merid $19^{\circ}47'$
- first & middle part strong gails from North
 & passing clouds steering S. till 8 started
 Tuesday 26 sail & headed to the West later part strong
 gails from the West same rain & fog
 All Double reef & sails Saw no whale
 Ends fair & strong gails latitude $34^{\circ}21'$
 Longitude at 3 P.M. $17^{\circ}23'$

Cruising In The South Atlantic ocean

1837 first & middle part of these 24 hours strong
 Double reef & sail breezes from S.W. & passing
 Wednesday Clouds standing to the N.E.W. at sunset took
 27th of in P.M. sails later part more moderate
 Pearlmt. turned out all reefs saw 3 ships sailing & 1 cutting
 saw a great number of pinbacks & few birds
 first part repaired the waist boat saw 2 Carcasses

Latitude 34° 53'

Longitude at 8 A.M. 20° 23'

All these 24 hours fine breezes & pleasant
 weather first part from S.W. later part
 from west standing to the North & W. at 10

Thursday 28th St. M. tacked ship to the South all sail set

saw no whale but pinbacks plenty some birds
 & 3 ships.

Latitude By Obs 34° 05' S

Longitude at 2 past merid 21° 16' W

first part fresh breezes from N.E.W. & passing
 Clouds all sail set standing to the S. & W.

Middle 2. later strong gails & cloudy under

Friday 29th Double reefs saw 1 ship of war standing
 to the North & wrote whale a few pinbacks
 etc? observation

first & middle part of these 24 hours
 strong gails from W. S.W. & some rain
 at 3 took in fore & M. T. sails saw 2 ships
 of our sea been heading to the north at

Saturday 30th 9 P.M. wore ship to the N.E.W. later part

all sail set carboard jacks aboard & plenty
 feed & pinbacks 1 ship of the sea been
 heading to the South latitude

34° 53' S

Long at 7 A.M. by Chro 21° 17' W

All these 24 hours light breezes from W. S.W. to

Sunday 31st S.W. & pleasant weather first & middle part

heading to the South later to the West saw nothing
 but pinbacks

Longitude at 3 P.M. 21° 25'

Latitude 35° 14'

Janua 1838

Monday 1st All these 24 hours light breezes first part from

Longitude 22° 14' W. at 1 board for 1 sperm whale a miles of the

by Chro 22° 14' W. was been the whale going considerable fast could not

by June 1831 came up with him before he was shot & he saved his life should the

come through the night in hopes to fall in with him in the morning

Longitude 22° 14' W. at 1 board for 1 sperm whale a miles of the



Remarks On Board Ship Leonidas

1838 Off these 24 hours light breezes from East
Clear & pleasant weather Steering S.W. First
Tuesday part saw 4 ships ahead abar of later part
4th of saw 2 ships spoke ship (Mrs Bishop
January In harbor 400 blks of whale oil saw ship
Edmund Thomsen's seasons 1838 saw plenty
whale land struck a hild whale 2 miles
to the windward

Latitude

36° 22'



At these 24 hours light breezes from the East & pleasant weather at 9 30 took the Wedd. whale along side & cut him in. Started the works & took in. Sail for the night. At 9 A.M. raised a Dead whale but 10 took him along side & commenced cutting. So ends these 24 hours of plenty whale in sight & 2 ships cutting.

Latitude

3 22



Thursd
4th

T. M. Commences with light breezes from East
A pleasant weather All hands Employed in
Cutting At 4 fine sh't cutting board & toate struck
Drowd the whale went up to windward spouting
Blood Could not get fast again Middle
part Strong breezes Cloudy & some light
rain later part light breezes & fair all
hands employed in hauling 3 ships in sight
2 hauling saw nothing but finbacks Latitude 36° 45.

T. M. Commences with lively breezes from N. E.
 & some foggy & ships in sight At Spake Ship
 arrived at Sagharbour 6 whale Middle
 Friday part rain Ends with strong gails & some
 rain all hands employed in stowing Drying
 Down & biling 2 ships in sight Saw 1 whale

Cruising in the North Atlantic

first & middle part of these 24 hours strong
gale & rainy weather with some fog at 1 P.M.
Doubt taken on the account of cold & ship
Saturday August 1st 1854 out Capt Jackson
left for the Indian Ocean in search of whales
later part more moderate & fair started
the works at 12. Set T. & S. sails larboard
jacks aboard wind N.W. 3 ships in sight

Latitude $36^{\circ}35'$

Long at 2 P.M. merid. $29^{\circ}00'$

first & middle part of these 24 hours strong
breeze & fair weather at 7 P.M. finished stowing
Sunday later part light breezes from N.W. & calm all
hands employed in stowing down ship in sight
first part to haul & take a whale of our lee
standing to the N.W. all these 24 hours

Latitude $36^{\circ}26'$

Longitude at 4 P.M. merid. $28^{\circ}28'$

all these 24 hours light breezes from S.E. to
East & fair weather first part standing to
the N.E. at 4 P.M. finished stowing down
later part heading to the S.E. & saw & passed
to a whale & showed 2 ships in sight to windward

Latitude $36^{\circ}37'$

Latitude at 3 P.M. merid. $28^{\circ}35'$

first & middle part of these 24 hours light
breezes from N.E. to North & pleasant weather
during N.W. picked up a load of bone on
Monday 2d 24 hours later part strong gale & misty
cloudy at 8. Set of S. sails & ship hoisting
at plenty finbacks & no white whale the whole
watch employed in stowing down Latitude $37^{\circ}50'$

Longitude at 5 P.M. merid. $28^{\circ}27'$

all these 24 hours strong gale from N.W.
to East first part rainy starting at 3 P.M.
Wednesday 4th to the wind starboard jacks aboard under Close
11th reef of S. sails & mizen later part clear
with passing clouds saw 2 whale & some birds

Latitude $38^{\circ}30'$

Longitude at 4 P.M. merid. $27^{\circ}40'$

On Board Ship Leonidas of Fairhaven

1838

Thursday
11th

first & middle part of these 24 hours strong
gails from West & passing Clouds at 5 P.M.
wore ship to the N.W. later part moderate.
made all sail at 12 meridian saw 2 sail of
the sea bar & one ahead saw no whale

Latitude

37°40'

Longitude

Friday
12th

(All these 24 hours lively breezes from West & fair
first part saw ship Herald Fairhaven & the
ship Gen Saghar 1200 bbls later part saw &
Chart 2 whale going fast & could not pass
saw the Gen take 4 whale. So Ends all sail
sat standing to the North 3 whale ahead Latitude.

37°11'

Longitude 44° 8' E.M.

21

Saturday
13

first part of these 24 hours lively breezes &
pleasant later middle part fresh gails from
N.W. & passing Clouds at 1 P.M. Struck
& kild 4 whale took him along side & cut
him in 11 started the works 4 & 5 P.M.

hard gails & heavy rains Coast reef M.T. sail took
in the foresail & Cold Dawn 4 & the wind started
to the westward wore ship to the N.W. Ends with
strong S.W. gails & broken Clouds 3 ships in
sight saw 3 whale

Latitude

37°16'



Sunday
14

P.M. Commences with strong S.W. gails
& misty Clouds 4 Sat 4 foresail & started
the works 4 & wore ship to the S.E. 4 ships
in sight & sailing at 5 P.M. wore ship
at 8.30 board Huch kild & took 4 whale along
side & plenty whale in sight strong breezes
& good weather Double reef 5 sails sat 4 ships in
sight all whaling the weather good & rough sea



Sunday
15

Longitude All these 24 hours strong breezes from W. &
S.W. to West & good weather first part all hands
employed in Oiling 1 whale at 4. P.M. 1
& started the works 9 ships in sight Lat. 36°40'
later part saw 3 whale & a ship to the N.W.

Cruising In The South Atlantic Ocean

first part strong breezes from W. & N.W. & good weather Employed in bailing 4 ships in sight
 Tuesday 16th saw 1 ship take 1 whale Middle part more moderate later part stamed down 40 bbls of oil
 January Checked of the main hatchway Ends with strong North gails & hard rains at 10 o'clock Down took in all sail but Coast reef M. T. sail & Mizen leading to the East

L.M. Commences with hard gails from North
 Wednesday 17th heavy rains & the wind shifted to the S.E.W. the Clouds broke away & the rain abated later part strong gails passing Clouds at 6 wore ship to SE at 11 wore back set for sail the heavy sea on at 8 started the works 3 ships to windward all heading to westward Latitude $36^{\circ}39'15''$
 Longitude at 2 30 P.M. $21^{\circ}51'W$

first & middle part of these 24 hours strong South gails & passing Clouds 3 ships
 Thursday 18th in light first part standing to the westward middle & later part to S.E. at 9 P.M. firesht bailing later part light breezes & pleasant all hands Employed in stowing Down in the fore peake 4 ships in sight to windward & bailing saw nothing Latitude $36^{\circ}36'15''$

All these 24 hours light breezes calms & pleasant weather first part from the South later from North
 Friday 19th at 4 P.M. firesht stowing Down 4 ships in sight saw no whale Latitude $36^{\circ}40'$
 Longitude at 7 30 A.M. Chro $22^{\circ}03'$
 by Lunar $22^{\circ}07'W$

All these 24 hours small breezes from N.E.W. & calms
 Saturday 20th with pleasant weather steering South later part saw 20th firesht Employed in clearing down 4 ships in sight ahead all steering to the South Latitude $36^{\circ}54'$
 Longitude at 7 30 A.M. $22^{\circ}16'$
 $21^{\circ}48'$

On Board Ship Leonidas of Fairhaven

1858

Sunday
1st Jan
1858

first part light North winds Clear & pleasant weather spoke ship & Lepturus Newlandan 1100 lbs whale 200 sperm oil middle & later part lively breezes & fair weather Course S by W. run all night under Double reef later under all sail & saw nothing

Latitude 38° 26'

Longitude at 8 P.M. by Chron 21° 51'

By Barometer 22° 16'

first part strong gales breezes from North & heavy weather all sail set steering S by W. at 7 Morning sail put the wheel Starboard Monday light to the wind heading S by W. P. R. M. 22nd sail R. foresail Staysail & mizen strong gails all night & some rain later part more moderate & thick fog Wind S by W. turned the reef out the foresail & one reef the M. J. sail No observation

Tuesday
23rd

All these 24 hours strong North breezes thick fog & some rain later part set reef M. J. sail & gill standing to the Eastward all these 24 hours No Observation

Wednesday
24th

first & middle part of these 24 hours fine breezes from North thick fog & heavy showers of rain later part light breezes & calms all sail set larboard tacks aboard heading S. E. the weather good with flying clouds saw nothing at 12 Meridian spoke ship Heroine Fairhaven Harder 760 whale 140 sperm

Latitude 38° 15'

Longitude at 4 30 P.M. by Chron 18° 51' 45"

Thursday
25th

All these 24 hours lively breezes from N.W. to North & pleasant weather standing to the S. E. all these 24 hours in sight of the Heroine saw nothing at 10 P.M. went M. J. sail tore it in paper rags & bent another at 12 Meridian top of S. E. E.

Latitude 37° 16'

Longitude at 4 P.M. Meridian 17° 5'

Cruising In The South Atlantic ^{ocean}

1838

Friday All these 24 hours strong N.W. winds & passing clouds steering S.E. all sail set at sunset Double reefed F.S. M. T. sails & fird Mizen made all sail in the morning at 11 30 At 10. Squally took in M. T. G. sail so ends Saw a plenty birds & not the spout of A whale
Latitude 38° 12'
Longitude at 3 P.M. 15° 26'

Saturday R. M. Commences with strong breezes from N.W. & passing clouds steering S.E. middle part strong gails from West with squalls took in fore & M. T. sails later part moderate made all sail Course S.E. wind S.W. & A heavy swell Saw no whale the water green & A great number of birds
Latitude 38° 51' S
Longitude at 2 30 P.M. 14° 01' W

Sunday first & middle part of these 24 hours light breezes from S.W. pleasant weather & A heavy swell running later part lively breezes from N.W. & clear weather steering S.E. all sail set Saw one finback altered the color of the water from green to blue
Latitude 39° 26'
Longitude at 2 30 P. Meridian 12° 40'

Monday first & middle part of these 24 hours lively breezes from N.W. weather fair at sunset took in M. T. G. sail single reefed F.S. M. T. sails at 2. 30 P.M. by good observations I find the course to Gough's Island to be East 19° South Distance 138 miles variation

Latitude 40° 30' by good observations I find the course to Gough's Island to be East 19° South Distance 138 miles variation
Longitude 40° 30' by good observations I find the course to Gough's Island to be East 19° South Distance 138 miles variation
Tuesday At 10. M. T. steering S.E. by E. at 6 P.M. raised the land bearing S.E. at 7 P.M. bore the land South Distance 5 miles strong gails & clear took in M. T. G. sail making preparations for fishing got 2 boats all ready now every man I believe that is getting his mouth full of the white fish for receiving some of the barthore beautiful fish that visit the shores of this island the wind increases every moment of S.E. as we draw in along the east of the land at 10 ends the island bearing West Dist 11 miles strong gails & heavy flaws Coast reefed T. sails & fird mizen first in reefed the southern point & found it to rized to be

Ship Leonidas of Fairhaven Cruising

1838 L. M. Commences with hard gails from North & hazy weather steering S.S.E. Closest reef M. 9. Sail & foresail at 12 meridian gale's Island bore N.W. Distance 8 miles at 3 P.M. took in foresail & left to the wind headed S.E. at 3. 30 hard rains the barque Able left to the same time. Middle part more moderate later part strong West gails & passing Clouds at 6 P.M. set foresail hee of S.E. So ends it heavy small running about Mizen to repair Latitude $40^{\circ}56'$

Longitude at 3.30 P.M. merid $7^{\circ}56'$
first part strong West winds & good weather heading to the S.S.W. under Closest reef M. 3. S Wednesday & foresail Middle & later part lively breezes 31st from N.W. & passing Clouds steering S.E. By 8 under all sail on bent & repaired it at 8 P.M. spoke Barque Able run all Day in Company with her Latitude $41^{\circ}36'$

first part of these 24 hours strong breezes from N.W. & some cloudy steering S.E. By Thursday in Company with Able at sunset took 1st of February in sail & headed to N.E. Middle part fresh gails later part strong North gails thick & rainy weather lighting too saw nothing No Observation

L. M. Commences with strong gails from North & rainy weather Middle part light breezes & clear weather heading to the S.W. Wind N.W. later part steering S.E. all sail set & thick fog at 11 hauled up East the fog cleared at 12 meridian raised a whale of the weather heem got Dinner & board without success Latitude $42^{\circ}13'3$
Longitude at 3 P.M. merid $5^{\circ}11'W$

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31

first & middle part lively breezes from
Saturday N.E.W. & mostly Cloudy saw & board
for 2 whale without success spoke barque
February cable later part strong breezes from
N & W & squally saw several whale
all going to windward board & could
not pass the cable struck & did not
pass

Latitude $42^{\circ} 23' S$

Longitude by Est $05^{\circ} 00' W$

P.M. Commences with strong g. breezes from
West & passing Clouds saw & board for one
Sunday whale could not pass at 3 Double reef
T. Sails at 6 heavy squall attended with rain
took in T. & M. T. sails at 8 reef M. T. sail
took in foresail heading to N.E.W. all night
hard gails & heavy squalls later part some more
moderate at 8 wore ship to the South saw
1 whale

Latitude $41^{\circ} 49'$

all these 24 hours strong gails from N.E.W.
Monday to N.E.W. mostly Cloudy middle part light
rain & some fog the weighing to all these
24 hours heading to the S & W

Latitude by Obs $42^{\circ} 24'$

No observation for long

first & middle part of these 24 hours
strong gails from N.E.W. & Cloudy
Tuesday weather at 5 P.M. wore ship to the North
later part more moderate at 8 set foresail
on bent M. T. sail & bent a new one in
the place set Double reef T. Sails & gib

Latitude $41^{\circ} 56'$

Long at 8 A.M. $03^{\circ} 54'$

first & middle part of these 24 hours light
breezes from West Cloudy & some fog
at 5 P.M. wore ship to the N.E.W.

Wednesday later part strong breezes & passing Clouds
set Double reef T. Sails courses & gib at 8
kept all on bent the M. T. sail to repair
at 10 put the T. T. sail M. sail & gib first
part on bent T. sail to repair & bent a new one
in the place saw no whale
cloudy birds

Latitude $42^{\circ} 11'$

On Board Ship Leonidas of Fairhaven

1838

Thursday
8th of
February

P.M. Commences with strong S.E.W. gails
& passing Clouds Middle part make moderate
heading to the S.E. & later part light
breezes & Calms saw several whale board
Chaist & Could not faren there 24 hours
Ends with light North winds & hazy weather

Latitude by Obs 42° 14'

Friday
9th

P.M. Commences with fresh N.E.W. Winds
& hazy weather at 2 30 board for a whale
without success at 3 blowing strong Double
reef T. Sails at 5 Commenced raining took
in sails took the boats up on the super
Drains got the supper & set the watch at
12 Middle part wore ship to the N.E. &
hard gails & a rough sea running later
part more moderate thick fog & some rain

No Observation

Saturday
10

P.M. Commences with strong N.E.W. gails thick
fog & light rains at 5 the wind halled to W.N.W.
the fog cleared with light winds made small sail
heading to the North later part fresh breezes from
N.E.W. & Clear set single reef T. Sails at 10 tack
Ship saw 2 finbacks the watch employed in
repairing M. S. sail

Latitude

42° 07'

Long at 3 P Meridian

01 55

Sunday
11th

P.M. Commences with strong strong breezes
from N.E.W. with flying Clouds at
2 Saw a right whale went out of
sight in the Sangleade Double reef T.
Sails furled M. Sail & gills at 3 30 strong
gails & a rough sea running took in L
& M. S. Sails heading to the West the watch
employed in repairing M. S. S. middle &
later part strong gails attended with fog
& rain at 8 P.M. wore ship to N.E. &

No Observation

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In the South Atlantic Ocean H. A. Stuart

Commander

February Monday

12th P.M. Commences with strong N.E. W. winds attended with rain & fog middle & later part lively breezes from W.S.W. with passing Clouds at 6 P.M. Squared the yards keel of East the watch Employed in mending Sails Saw nothing.

Latitude

41° 49' S

Longitude at 5 P.M. 0° 09' E.

13th Tuesday first part lively breezes from N.E. W. & fine weather Middle part strong breezes & Clouds steering S.E. later part strong North gails with rain & fog under Cloaste reef At 6 P.M. 7. Sails & foresail first part steered East saw no whale but plenty of birds at 6 P.M. Observed the water to be very green the sun broke out just before 12 meridian got an altitude which gives the Latitude

42° 06' S.

14th Wednesday P.M. Commences with strong North gails & thick rainy weather At 6 shortend sail & have to heading to N.E. Middle part the wind shifted to the west later part light breezes from W.S.W. & pleasant maid all sail steered East saw nothing

Latitude by Obs 41° 54' S

Longitude at 4 P.M. merid 4° 19' E.

15th Thursday All these 24 hours light breezes from West & pleasant weather first part steering S.E. middle & later E.S.E. saw finbacks Middle part short sail

Latitude 42° 06'

Longitude at 5 P.M. merid 5° 46' E

16th Friday P.M. Commences with lively breezes from N.E. & fair at 2 P.M. saw 2 right whale board Chaise without success at 6 light breezes & light showers of rain at sunset Cloaste reef 7. Sails heading to E.S. middle part fresh gails from North took in At 6 P.M. 7. Sail later part fresh gails with rain & fog maid small sail heading N.E. No Observation

On Board Ship Leonidas In the

1838 Saturday 17th of February

P.M. Commences with calm thick fog & rain At 3 P.M. the breeze from S.W. Squared the yards & Stured A.P. By C. Middle part fine breezes & Dirty weather under Double reefs at 5 P.M. made all sail strong breezes with light rain at 11 sun broke out Wind South ship going about 8 miles per hour watch Employed in Scraiping tryworks &c No Observation

Sunday 18 first part fresh breezes from SE to East with light showers of rain Storing A.P. &c at 3 Double reefed G. Sails middle part light breezes from N.E. thick fog later part strong breezes from North & Cloudy heading E. & E. under Double reefs Saw Nothing Latitude $39^{\circ} 21'$ long at 3 P.M. Meridian $16^{\circ} 56'$

P.M. Commences with lively breezes from North & N.W. with light showers of rain Monday 19 at 2 turned one reef out the G. Sails at 5 the wind shifted in A Squall to West attended with rain Cloast reefed G. & M. G. Sails Double reefed Main middle part more moderate made all sail later part lively breezes from N.W. & fair weather the watch Employed in repairing G. S. Sail Course & C. Saw Nothing Latitude by Obs $37^{\circ} 24'$ Longitude 3 P.M. Meridian $8^{\circ} 17'$

At these 24 hours strong winds from Tuesday 20 N.W. to N.E. & passing Clouds first part Course E. & S. later part same with all sail set that will draw the watch Employed in Sunday goes of Ships Duty Latitude by Obs $35^{\circ} 38'$ Longitude at 9 P.M. by Chro $9^{\circ} 56'$ By Lunar — — — $9^{\circ} 16'$

Wednesday 21 first part of these 24 hours fresh breezes from S.W. & passing Clouds middle part light from North later from S.W. fair Course & pleasant watch Employed in Sunday goes of Ships Duty about the rigging on row the masts & stows the stern

South Atlantic Ocean Toward Cape of Good Hope

Thursday 22th

first & middle part of these 24 hours lively
Breezes from S.W. with overcast later
part light breezes & pleasant weather saw
a breach 3 miles to windward so ends these
24 hours on board the noble ship Leonidas all
hands well the watch employed in ships
Duty Course E by S by Compass $2\frac{1}{2}$ points
variation westerly & a strong northerly current

Latitude $34^{\circ}14'S$

Long at 3 P Meridian $15^{\circ}14'E$

Friday

23

first part lively breezes from S.W. & good weather
At 4 spoke Barque Caravelle Salem Francisco

Master from Cape Town 2 Days out bound to
Madagas 600 lbs middle part wind lifting &
squally at 7 single reefed T. Sails later part
fresh gails & clear saw 2 ships to windward
starboard tack aboard at 10 Double reefed T. Sails
made at E.S.E. Course these 24 hours wind south
our Chron agrees with the Latitude by Obs $33^{\circ}53'$
Barques agrees with the Long at 2 P. Merid $14^{\circ}16'E$

Saturday

24

first & middle part Strong Strong
gails from South & clear weather at 7 P.M.
Closest reefed T. & M. T. Sails at 10 tacked ship
to N.W. blowing hard & heavy Closest reefed
T. & M. T. sail & reefed M. sail at 2 Tacked ship
to E.S.E. at 4 turned the reef out the M. sail
& one out the T. Sails at 7 gail more moderate
at 9 At 10 Made the land bearing S.E. by S
by Compass Table Mountain so cold the water
green all these 24 hours ends with light
breezes & pleasant weather all sail set to
best advantage bent the Chains Latitude $33^{\circ}34'$
Long at 3 P. Meridian $18^{\circ}14'$

Sunday

25

first part light breezes from South & pleasant weather
at 5 P.M. made Green Island at 6 tacked ship about 14 miles from
the S.W. part bearing N.E. South breaker E by S 1 mile Dist. launched
ship rocky middle part strong breezes from S.W. single
reef at 2 At 4 tacked ship headed up S.W. later part
more moderate turned out reef set M. T. sail

at 11³⁰ saw roben Island bearing S.E. by S Dist 8 miles
Estimation so ends light breezes & pleasant Latitude $23^{\circ}45'$

On Board Ship Leonidas

Sunday 26th February 1838

Mon

first part light breezes from South & Calms
at 6 P.M. when I bore S.E. Dist 6 miles by
Estimation & light & baffling breeze sprung up
tacked ship stood up to N.W. at 4 P.M. tacked
ship to in strong breezes at 12 Meridian an
green point bore S.E. Dist 12 miles a light
air from the west so there 24 hours

Tuesday

I M^o Came with light breezes from the
west & pleasant weather at 1 P.M. Came
to Anchor with our best bower about 1/2 mile
within greenpoint bearing W. by Camprass
piled the sails squared the yards & c was
boarded by the health or port officer then
hoisted the Ensign at the M.G. head
the Capt went ashore at 4 a light land
breeze ends with light breezes so ends this
Day including 62 hours

Wednesday

first & middle part of this Day light
breezes from N.W. & some fog at 3 P.M.
land breeze came up at sunset & strong
breeze & bid fair for a hard breeze this
Day the starboard watch ashore on liberty
at sunset all returned but two that is
Contrary to orders the S watch employed
in ships Duty sent Down M.G. yard heald
the ship & script one side let go & anchor

Thursday
27th

first part lively breezes from S.E. & fair
middle & later part hard gails & heavy flaws
leaving with both Anchors ahead starboard
watch ashore on liberty & could not get up
on the account of the wind starboard watch
aboard employed in ships Duty sent Down
M.G. Mast Observed 2 English merchant ships
& one American whaler sail ship Martha Fair
haver

Friday

first part of this Day hard gail middle
part light breezes later part strong S.E.
winds fine weather all this day & ships sail
& watch on liberty

Weyhing In Table Bay Cape of Good Hope

Friday 2 of March

first & middle part of this Day light & babbling
breezes & pleasant weather later part lively breezes
from S.E. Starboard watch employed in ships duty scraped
& Coald tarol the S. hends & other goods sent Down Mr.
R. Mart took in thirty bbls of beef Onions potatoes
& many other small articles

Saturday 3rd this Day light & variable winds & fair weather

Starboard watch aboard on liberty the larboard
aboard employed in ships duty scraped & Coald
tarol the Larboard Starboard side &c

first part light breezes & Calms Middle part

lively breezes from N.W. & fair weather arrived
four american whalers & several English merchantmen
Larboard watch on liberty

first part light & babbling airs & Calms Middle

part lively breezes from N.W. & fair Starboard
watch on liberty Larboard employed in ships
duty stood down beef &c. visited one american
whaler later part strong N.W. winds with plenty
& some rain

this day Commences with strong breezes & hard

plows & cloudy Middle part strong breezes with
flying clouds sent Down Mr. J. G. Mast
rigging fitted & sent up again sent up
Mizen J. G. mast took in from lighter
55 bags of bread which filled 6 pipes & stode
them betwix decks &c

first & middle part of this Day strong

Southwest gale & clear weather later part
light airs babbling & Calms. Vaid Ship
Frances Henrietta Ship Neptune of London
parted. Chain went out the harbour & later
up in the afternoon & was supplied from shore

first part of this day Calms Middle part

light sea breezes & pleasant later part
Calms sent up Mr. J. G. yard & got ready
sea intended to sail but the winds were contrary

On Board Ship Leonidas

1858
Friday
9th May

Leaving in the Captain's Cabin of Goodhope
this Day Commences with light & lifting
March airs & Calms - Middle part light North west
wind & pleasant weather - later part
Calm - Sailed Ship Capt. Wm. Newlandson -
Bark. Jason To Arrived Ship George
of Newlandson So Ends all hands on board

Saturday
10th May
his Day Commences with Calm & clear weather
Middle part light breeze from N.E. & same.

Cloudy at 7 A.M. made sail & made anchor
with light North wind made one stretch
across the bay tacked ship & weathered away
greenpoint at 12 Meridian green point. bore
about East by Compass Dist 6 miles by Estimation
about the chains stowed them away below &
secured the Anchors on the rails So Ends
this day including 12 hours sail account

Sunday
11th May
first part light breezes from N.E. to N.W.
Cloud with some rain at 4 the wind shifted
to West stretch in landy to the land at 5.30
tack ship wind vary light & heavy ground
swell from S.W. Middle part wind light
with passing clouds at 8 A.M. tacked ship
at 10 raised the land table. Maintain bearing
S.E. by E. at 11 tacked up heading up west
lively breeze & pleasant weather So Ends this
24 hours on board Ship Leonidas all hands
well we have been 12 miles Latitude 34° 11'
have made in 18 hours. at strong current

Sunday
12th May
the 24 hours lively breezes from
South to S.W. & fine weather all sail set
to good advantage. Standing to the West at
6 A.M. - Saw 1 ship off the sea bow
Latitude 34° 29'
Longitude at 3 P.M. 16° 29'

From Cape of Good Hope Towards Indian

Tuesday 13th March 1838

all these 24 hours lively breeze from South to S.W. fluky & pleasant weather at 1 P.M. spoke ship *Hopline*. Barge jason in sight to leeward at 8 tacked ship to the SE at 1.30 A.M. tacked to the West at 10 tacked to the SE So Ends these 24 hours Latitude

34°40'

Longitude at 2 P.M. Meridian 150°50' E

Wednesday first & middle part of these 24 hours lively breeze from South & fine weather later part light breezes from S.E. & pleasant 2 sail in sight A stern harboard tacks aboard all these 24 hours

Latitude by Obs 35°35' S

Long at 3 P.M. Meridian 149°45'

Thursday first part Calm Middle part light breezes from S.W. tacked ship to S.E. Later part lively breezes from West & pleasant weather Course S.E. all sail set to good advantage barge jason & ship in sight of our lee watch employed in Sundry jobs of ships duty Latitude

36°29' South

Long at 3 P.M. 16°09' E

Friday attended with some rain Cleared down topsails & Double reefed Stgrad. the gib. At 4 Cloast reefed P. & M. S. sails all these 24 hours strong gails from S.W. to S.E. with overcasts & passing cloudes Carrying Cloast reef P. & M. S. sails Double reef Main Courses P. & M. Stairsail & Cloast Mizen Starboard tacks aboard the wind fluky & A bad sea running at 6 A.M. Saw A ship of the line bow S. tacks aboard at 9 Cloast reefed M. S. sail Latitude

35°53'

this Day I had A remarkable Longitude at 2 P.M. merid 179°45' all Dream

first & middle part of these 24 hours strong S.E. gails & passing cloudes at 3 P.M. tacked ship reef M. sail at 5 reefed P. sail saw Barge jason standing to S.W. later part more moderate turned reefs out Courses & one out P. sails set gib So Ends fine weather & A rough sea on watch employed in ships duty

Latitude 36°50'

Long at 4 P.M. Merid 16°35'

Remarks on Board Ship Leonidas

Sunday 18th of March 1838

first part fresh breezes from S.E.
& passing clouds turned out one reef
out the S. Sails middle part light breezes
at 8 A.M. Calm at 9 a light breeze
Sprang up from W.S.W. Steered S.E. by E
Barque. Gascon in of our S. Bow 3 miles
Dist there 24 hours Ends with light S.W.
breezes & pleasant weather Course S.E. by E

Latitude

38° 04'

Long at 4 P Meridian 16° 35'

Monday

19th first part lively breezes from S.W. & S.S.W.
with passing clouds middle & later part light
& baffling breezes from West to W.S.W. & pleasant
weather later part watch employed in repairing
of foresail Course S.E. by E. Saw several fumpies
& great quantities of whale feede spawn

Latitude

38° 07'

Long at 2 P Merid. 17° 48'

Tuesday

20th these 24 hours light breezes from W.S.W.
& pleasant weather the watch employed
in repairing sails first part finished the
foresail later part unbent the mainsail to
repair so ends saw nothing Course S.E.

Latitude

37° 41'

Long as obser

Wednesday

21st first part fine breezes from S.W. & pleasant
finished & bent the M. S. Sail. middle part fresh
breezes & then flaws from S.E. at 2 30 A.M. wind
shifted to East tacked ship later part strong
breezes from S.E. passing clouds & heavy swell
from S.W. watch employed in repairing M. S.
Sail so ends these 24 hours

Latitude

38° 11'

Longitude at 8 P.M. by ^{lunar} ~~lunar~~ 19° 44'

by lunar Chronometer

20° 00'

Thursday

22nd first part light breezes from S.E. & fair
middle part Calm & heavy swell from S.W.
later part light breezes from W.S.W. & pleasant
weather employed in repairing Gid & S. S. Sail
so ends these 24 hours finished all the sails
Course S.E. by Compass Latitude -

38° 11'

from Capetown towards Madagascar Stuart Com

Monday 13th of March 1838

first part fine breezes from Cr. or S.W. & pleasant
middle part from S.W. & Cloudy later part
passing Clouds Saw 1st Sulphur bottom No Ends
there 24 hours on board ship Leonidas all hands
well watch Employed in sundry jobs of ships
Duty Course S.E. — Latitude 39° 13' S
Long at 2 P.M. Merid 22° 47' E.

Monday 14th first part lively breezes from west to south
with some rain middle part mostly Cloudy
squally looking weather wind E.S.E. & lively
breeze at 2 30 tack ship to S.E. Ends with squally
& showery wind shifted to S.W. weather looks
bad Cloud down T. Sails heard some distant
thunder attended with lightning Course S.E.
Variation 29° Westerly No Observation

Monday 15th first part of these 24 hours light & variable
breezes squally showery & Calms middle part
strong gails from S.S.W. & hard squalls at 10 Double
reeft I stood the gill at 11 hard squalls & rain
took in M. Sail & Close up M. T. Sail at 1 P.M.
Closest reefed T. & M. T. Sails fild M. Sail & M. T. Sail
Steering E.S.E. wind S.W. Ends moderate all Sail
Set weather fair with passing Clouds & heavy
smell from S.W. first part saw several finbacks
Latitude — — — 38° 01' S
Longitude at 2 P.M. Merid 27° 32' E

Monday 16th these 24 hours light breezes from S.W.
to south & pleasant weather later part
sent up T. T. G. yard Course S.E. by E.
saw nothing Caught 1 porpoise Latitude 37° 56' S
Long at 2 P.M. Merid 30° 14' E

Tuesday 17th first part light breezes from S.E. &
pleasant middle & later part lively breezes
from S.E. to E.S.E. & passing Clouds Starbo
tacks aboard watch Employed in ships duty
sent up M. T. G. yard sent T. T. G. Sail & set
it Employed in sundry jobs making some
spongers beating yards &c. saw nothing
Latitude 36° 19' S
Long at 2 P.M. Merid 31° 26' E

Ship Leonidas from Capetown

Wednesday 28th of March 1838

All these 24 hours lively breezes from ESE to East & passing Clouds At 4 P.M. tacked ship to S.S.E. So ends these 24 hours its usual watch employed in ships Duty anent A new foresail & bent another in the place

Latitude

35° 25'

Long At 4 3 P.M. Merid

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Thursd

29

All these 24 hours winds from SE to East first part fresh breezes from SE & passing Clouds middle & later part fresh gails & some squally under Double reefs at 10 P.M. tacked ship to SSE So ends saw nothing

Latitude

34 30

Long at 3 P.M. Merid

32° 04'

Friday

30

All these 24 hours strong gails from East to E.S.E. & mostly Cloudy standing to S.E. under Double & Closest reefs winds strong & some squally saw nothing watch employed in ships Duty

Latitude

35° 17'

Long At 2 P.M. Merid

33° 07'

Saturday

31

first & middle part of these 24 hours fresh gails from E.S.E. to E.E. middle squally at 2 P.M. turned one reef out the topsails set gill at 4 P.M. split the gill & took it in later part more moderate anent & bent another gill turned all reefs & set No. 1. G. sail So ends saw nothing

Latitude

35° 36'

Long at 3 P.M. Meridian

35° 16'

Sunday
1st of April

first part lively breezes from E.S.E. & passing Clouds middle & later part light & hailing At 9 P.M. tacked ship to E.S.E. All sail set to best Advantage heading N.E. by E. the horizon clear the sun warm & sheds her parting rays over the wide & smooth ocean we from the masthead so high can not see A monster blow

Latitude

36° 23'

Longitude at 4 P.M. by Chron

36° 00' 45"

by Lunar

36° 00' 00"

Towards The Isle of Madagascar H.C. Stuart

1838

Monday All these 24 hours lively breezes from East & fine weather with passing clouds Starboard tack aboard at 10 P.M. took in T.Git & T.G. sail first part saw a large shoal of blackfish they played around the ship some time Did not hear later part watch Employed in ships duty Latitude by Obs $35^{\circ} 01' S$ Long at 2 P.M. Meridian $35^{\circ} 09' E$

Tuesday first part lively breezes from East & fine weather 3rd Middle part strong breezes & some squally with lightning at 3 P.M. had a squall attended with rain tacked ship to SE ends with lively breezes from E.N.E. & a rough sea from SE Latitude $34^{\circ} 46'$ Long at 2 P.M. Meridian $35^{\circ} 20'$

Wednesday first part fresh breezes from E.N.E. & clear 4th later part fresh gails squally & showery under double reefs starboard tack aboard saw nothing Variation 29° westerly Latitude $35^{\circ} 16'$ Long at 2 P.M. Meridian $36^{\circ} 31'$

Thursday first part fresh gails from N.E. & overcast 5th under double reefs at 9 sharp lightning from the N.E.W. the clouds show a squally appearance at 10 distant thunder at 11 a heavy cloud came over from N.E.W. which caused a smart squall with heavy rain attended with sharp lightning & heavy thunder halld up courses & dued the T sails down on the caps at 11.36. set Cloast reef T sails later part fresh breezes from N.E.W. & some light squalls All sail set Course E. by S. Latitude $35^{\circ} 13'$ Long at 4 P.M. Meridian $38^{\circ} 24' E$

Friday All these 24 hours fresh breezes from N.E.W. 6th to S.W. first part some squally later part passing clouds All sail set to good advantage Course E.N.E. later part watch Employed in binding bone saw nothing Latitude $35^{\circ} 04'$ Long at 3 P.M. $40^{\circ} 09'$

Saturday All these 24 hours strong breezes from 7th S.W. to S.E. fine weather with passing clouds saw nothing Course E.N.E. All sail set to best advantage watch Employed in sandry jobs of ships duty Latitude $36^{\circ} 34' S$ Variation 29° westerly Long at 2 P.M. $41^{\circ} 29' E$

Ship Leonidas From Capetown

155 Sunday 8th April

All these 24 hours strong breezes from South
Good weather with passing clouds At 12 Middle
part part of sail off our lee beam headed to the
westward At 4 A.M. single reefed 3 sails Course
W. E. by E. saw nothing Latitude by Obs 27° 56'

Long at 2 P. Meridian 42° 55' E

Monday 9th First & middle part of the 24 hours fresh
gails from South with passing clouds Course
W. E. by E. at 6 second W. E. at 8 W. E. by E
the remainder part of these 24 hours fresh
gails & hard squalls attended with heavy rain
about every half hour under single reefed 3 sails
all these 24 hours Latitude by Obs 25° 10'

Long at 3 P. Meridian 43° 17'

Tuesd 11 All these 24 hours strong gails from
South first part squally & showery
Middle & later part passing clouds
at 5 P. M. 21 miles from land by Chrono
At 5:30 saw the appearance of land
took in all sail but C reefed 3 sails
at 9 wore ship of shore at 3 A.M. wore
again at 5:30 set Double reefs 3 sails at 7:30
raised the land of the weather bow at 12
Merid land about 6 miles dist latitude 26 miles
South of Sandy Island Chrono about 16 miles to
the Eastward

Wednesd 12 P. M. Commences with fresh breezes from
South & Clear weather running the shore down
about 7 mile Dist from the reef at 2 P. M.
Sea account raised Sandy island at 3:30 closed down 3 sails
& lived about 5 miles to windward of the island kept
to the wind head of the shore Closest reefed 3 sails
close & reefed foresail blowing heavy from S. S. W.
Middle part took in 3 sails wore ship of
in shore wind S. by E. at 3 set C reefed 3 sails
& turned one reef out 3 sails at sunrise Sandy
island bore SE Dist 12 miles by Estimation
at 4:30 took ship 4 miles from the land
Island bearing S. W. Dist 15 miles wind light at 1 P. M. Calm

At 3:30 took C sea breeze tried all sail headed up for the ship
Came to anchor in 10 fathoms water with best lower & 60 fath
old sails got supper & sat the watch strong breezes from SE to E

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Logging in St Augustine Bay ^{see} ^{midday}

Thursday 12th April 1838

first part strong land breezes from SE middle light airs & Calms Sind at treaty with the natives at 4 P.M. started with a raft of Casks for water at 9.30 took it along side at 10 had it all on deck so Ends this day with strong land breezes

Friday 13th

first part of this day strong land breezes All hands Employed in sundry jobs healds & kept the ship by the head for the sheathing of under her Starboard Counter & quarter to find the leak went wooding with one boat & went up river & got at Bullock at 1 P.M. for sea breeze set in at 8 land breeze again so Ends this day

Arrived ship Creptone Newlandon
& barque Jason of Do

Saturday 14th All this day light winds all round the
Camp & fine weather 10 men ashore wooding & the 2nd officer & aboard Employed in searching for the leak found it which proved to be a tunnel hole stoped it & Commenced putting on sheathing so Ends

Sunday 15th All this day fine breezes from land & sea & fine weather one watch on liberty ship Margeret started for sea & never came back

Monday 16th All this day fine weather light land breezes & strong sea breeze went ashore wooding finished the sheathing & righted the ship Sailed ship Margeret for Jams Arrived ship Miles Theron Devolve & ship Creptone Sagharbour

Tuesday 17th All this day fine breezes from its usual quarters & pleasant weather All hands Employed in boating of wood & stowing down the same loaded up 5 boats full of wood stowed it down & 20 lbs of water laid at finish of the work

On Board Ship Ferridas in Augusten

Wednesday 18 of April 1838

First part of this day strong land breezes
& clear later part light sea breeze went
ashore & got 4 bullock starboard watch ashore
on liberty Ground ships Limb Mure

Thursday 19 All this day light breezes from its usual
quarters & fine weather larboard watch
on liberty

Friday 20 this day light land breezes & strong
sea weather pleasant weather starboard
watch on liberty

Saturday this day lively land & sea breezes
& pleasant weather larboard watch
on liberty

Sunday 21 this day Commences with light breezes
from South & hazy weather at 5 P.M.
Called all hands have short set the 3 sails
& weigh anchor in company with ship
Franklin & Barque. Hoisted up & weighed
made all sail with a lively breeze from
South lashed the anchors on the bows
unbent the chains & slaved them below
at a sandy island bore. SE dist
3 miles by estimation strong wind
& a heavy sea from S.W. took in
3 of sails & double reefed 2 sails part of
ship 1 mile off our lee standing in to
the bay got all 3 boats ready for whaling
So ends this day including 12 hours

Sang at 3 P.M. Mured

43° 11'

Monday 22 Commences with fresh gales from
South weather good at 3 took in gale at
7 Closest reefed 2 sails at 2 P.M. more moderate
breeze and reefed out the 2 sails wind SE
ends with light breezes from E. & E.
weather pleasant & a rough sea at 11 part
of ship 2 miles off the lee standing in to
the bay so ends this day including 12 hours
of the day sang at 4 P.M. 24° 33'

From St Augustine Bay to Luis of L'Gaupe

Tuesday 24th of April 1838

first part light breezes from S.E. to S.W.
fine weather Middle & later part from West
& some hazy steering South all sail set

Latitude - - 26-00 S

Long at 3 P Merid 53 53 E

Wednes P.M. Commences with light breezes from
25 N.E. & some cloudy at 3 the wind halled
to the South tacked ship Middle part fresh
breezes & some squally at 8 Et M. Clost. reft
T. sails fresh gails & strong squalls attended
with rain Ends some clear Latit

Thursd P.M. Commences with fresh gails from
26 S.E. & mostly Cloudy at 2 more moderate
turnd one reef out the T. sails set 9. at 6
Squally took in gib. later part more
moderate under single reefs wind S.E.
& overcasts At high swell from S.W.

Latitude 28 35 S

Long at 3 P Merid 41 41 E

Friday first & middle part of those 24 hours
27 strong breezes from S.E. to South &
passing Clouds under single reefs later
part more moderate turnd out all reefs
& set M. & G. sail at 11 Et M. tacked
ship to the E.S.E. Ends with fine weather

Latitude By Obs 30-03

Long at

Sat 28 first part lively breezes & passing Clouds
28 At 4 P.M. raised Et sail of the sea how
at 1 spoke her which proved to be the ship
Franklin that said in Company with
us from the bay Middle part frequent
squalls attended with rain at 4 Et M. hard
squalls & rain Double reft T. sails Ends
with fresh S.E. gails & passing Clouds

Latitude 29 12

Long at 3 P. Merid 41 34

Ship Journal from the Augustin

Sunday 29th of April 1838

First part Strong gails from SE & passing
Clouds at 6 P.M. were ship to S.S.W.
with Clouds reefs & courses later part
Moderate set gill & turned one reef out to
T. sails Saw a pinback Latitude

30° 07'

Long at 2 P. Merid 41° 56'

Monday All first part of these 24 hours fresh
W. breezes from SE. Mostly Cloudy Middle &
later part light baffling breezes heavy & overcast
wind from S.W. to S.E. Watch Employed
in Ship's duty & Observation

Tuesday All these 24 hours light breezes from S.E.
at 10 to 12 & passing Clouds at 2 P.M. tacked
ship to the E.C.E. the Capt. well hand
but not a spot to be seen Latitude

31° 09'

Long at 2 P. Merid 42° 02'

Wednesday first part light breezes from S.E. clear &
2nd pleasant weather middle part light air & Calms
later part light breezes from East at 9 P.M.
tacked ship Latitude

3

Thursday first part lively breezes & fair middle
3 & later part fresh gails from East to E.C.E.
P.M. with passing Clouds under Double reefs
T. Sails 7 Tacks Onboard Latitude

Long

44° 25'

Friday first part Strong winds from East to E.C.E.
& passing Clouds middle part Squally & Showery
Coast reef T. sails at 6 P.M. turned one reef
out the T. sails at 8 wind shifted to N.W.
End well lively breezes & fair Latitude

31° 10'

45° 35'

Saturday All these 24 hours fine breezes from
S.W. to N.W. Middle part some squalls
& rain the rest fair Steady E.C.E.

Latitude

31° 49'

Long at 2 P.M. 47° 17'

Journal of Port Gaspé H. C. Stuart ^{der} Commis

Sunday 6th Day of May 1835

All these 24 hours lively breezes from S.W.
& fair weather Steering E. S. E. M. T. G. sail set.

Saw nothing

Latitude

27° 29'

Long at 2 P M merid 48° 04'

Monday

All these 24 hours fresh breezes from
the South & passing Clouds Course E. S. E.

All sail set that would draw to advantage

Saw nothing

Latitude

By Obs 25° 30'

Long at 2 P M merid

48° 52'

Tuesday

All these 24 hours fine breezes from S. S. E.

to E. S. E. & pleasant weather At sunset

took in F & M T. Sails Double reef Main

set boats Crews watches Course North at 3

O. M. kept to the wind At Daylight Called

all hands Moid sail Steered E. S. E. & North

the remainder part of the Day Latitude

24° 11'

Wednesday

L. M. Commenced with lively breezes from S. S. E.

& passing Clouds Steering E. S. E. At 3 P. M. raised

the land ahead one E. S. E. to the North in L. Gaspé

at sunset Shortened sail & headed off to South

& S. all night with larboard tack aboard at Daylight

Called all hands set hole T. Sails with Lt strong

E. S. E. Wind the land all plain in sight kept off

West at 9 hulled up to the wind E. S. E. Wind E. S. E.

Saw Lt sail up our sea bow running down the coast

So Ends under C. reefs F & M. T. sails Double reef

Main Gilt & Mainsail pield standing in about

12 miles from land

Latitude

25° 10'

Long at 2 P M

47° 13'

Thursday

All these 24 hours fresh gails from E. S. E.

to North at 1 P. M. were ship 7 miles

from the land Standing of all these 24 hours

under short sail heading up E. S. E. to E. S. E.

At daylight weather fair

Latitude

25° 53'

Long at 4 P M merid

48° 22'

Friday

first & middle part of these 24 hours strong breezes

from North same equally & lightening at 8 P. M.

were ship later part more moderate set

M. T. G. sail the weather fine the sea midling

smooth & not a whale to be seen

hard is our luck

Ship Claudes Cruising off Fort Gay

Saturday 12th of May 1838

All these 24 hours strong winds & squally weather attended with rain thunder & lightning under short sail. Lark boat took aboard at 8 P.M. Saw 4 Spout supposed it to be 4 finback at 8 A.M. Saw the land Latitude by Obs 25° 21' Longitude at 2 P.M. 47° 27'

Sunday 13th first part strong breezes from S.W. & passing Claudes at 4 P.M. wore ship & took in sail 5 miles from the land headed off shore at 8 A.M. wore ship at daylight made all sail stood on for the land with 4 light & steady breeze from N.W. clear & pleasant the sea smooth Saw 4 Brig of our leagueter 10 miles Dist standing in at 9 A.M. Tacked ship 4 miles from land Saw 4 white flag on Fort Dauphin. So Ends these 24 hours light West winds & pleasant weather as we git at home with 4n officer 4 boatster & 4. formast hand aloft & nothing to be seen hard luck

Latitude 25° 15'

Long at 2 P.M. 47° 28'

Monday 14th first part light breezes from South clear & pleasant weather middle & later part from E.S.E. & fine weather later part Saw 2 whale called them sulphur batons Latitude 25° 46' Longitude 47° 00'

Tuesday 15th first part lively breezes from E.S.E. & passing Claudes at 5 tacked ship to S.S.E. middle part strong breezes under easy sail 4 heavy swell from S.W. later part fresh breezes & fine Saw several whale sulphur batons & hump backs Saw 4 merchant ship steering to the westward there is 4 very strong current setting to the S.W.

Latitude 26° 21'

Longitude at 2 P.M. 46° 52'

Wednesday 16th first part fresh breezes from East with passing Claudes at 5 P.M. Saw 2 sperm whale may went down just before sunset board 4's boat but Saw them no more middle & later part fresh gails & fair at 11 A.M. wore ship 6 miles from land under double reef Longitude at 2 P.M. 46° 00'

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For Sperm Whale H. V. Stuart Command

Thursday 17th of May 1838

first & middle part strong gails from East
to E. N. E. standing to the S. E. E. under short
sail later part more moderate at 7 O. Ck. raised
a large sperm whale of the sea been hoard
piled up along side & did not passen charts
to windward did not see them out of the borders
saw two from the ship to windward Ends
with light breezes from N. B. W. & pleasant all
sail set larboard & aboard. Longitude at 2 P. M. $46^{\circ} 57'$ E
No land in sight Latitude $26^{\circ} 47'$

Friday All these 24 hours light breezes & pleasant
18th weather first part from N. B. W. Middle part
from West later from S. W. Saw nothing
with good lookout from mastheads

Latitude $26^{\circ} 36'$
Long at 2 P. M. $45^{\circ} 50'$

Saturday All these 24 hours light breezes from
19 South to E. N. E. & hazy weather standing
to N. E. E. later part Saw a large shoal
of blackfish at 12 merid tack'd ship land
in sight

Latitude $25^{\circ} 40'$
Long at 3 P. M. $46^{\circ} 29'$

Sunday first & middle part of these 24 hours
20 light & variable winds hazy cloudy & some
rain & lightning wind from East to South
Ends with fresh breezes from South & cloudy
Dirty weather standing to the Eastward
under hale S. sails first part hoard for
blackfish struck 2 saved none one came up
under the Capt's. boat & blow in two streaks
later part saw great numbers of blackfish &
Porpooses No Observation

Sunday first part fresh gails from the South squally
21 at 4 P. M. under cloast reefs middle & later
part strong gails & misty cloudy under
cloast reef M. T. sail & foresail at 6 O. Ck. kept
of N. E. at 9 hall'd to the wind saw a ship
of the weather been under short sail
steering about West

Cruising Of South Head Of

Tuesday 22nd of May 1838

All these 24 hours hard gails from S.E. to S. first part standing to the S.W. & under short sail at 5 we were ship to the S.W. All night lying to at sunrise made small sail the sea very rough Latitude $27^{\circ} 17'$ Longitude $26^{\circ} 33'$

Wednesday All these 24 hours fresh gails from E.S.E. 23 with overcasts & passing clouds under short sail all these 24 hours at 5 were ship to S. saw nothing Latitude $26^{\circ} 33'$ Long at 2 P.M. $45^{\circ} 25'$

Thursday All these 24 hours strong gails from E.S.E. 24 squally & a rough sea on at 4 P.M. were ship to the south under short sail all these 24 hours saw nothing Longitude at 3 P.M. $45^{\circ} 40'$

Friday All these 24 hours fresh gails from East to 25 P.M. squally & showery standing to the S.W. under short sail later part repaired the boat that got stove by a blackfish

Saturday All these 24 hours strong breezes from 26 E.S.E. & passing clouds Starboard Tacks aboard with Double & single reefs set saw nothing Latitude $29^{\circ} 15'$ Longitude at 2 P.M. $48^{\circ} 19'$

Sunday All these 24 hours strong breezes from N.E. 27 Middle part squally with lightning Double & single reefs set all these 24 hours Starboard Tacks aboard set Lyle watches Latitude by Obs $29^{\circ} 31'$

Monday first part strong breezes from N.E. & cloudy 28 Double reefs & courses Middle part squally & light rain at 8 Closest reefed T. sails from 2 to 6 P.M. very heavy rain attended with lightning the wind shifted to N.W. Ends with light N.E. breezes & fair saw two humpbacks going fast to the North first part laid at anchor picked up 4.30. 1st. boom Latitude $29^{\circ} 40'$ Long at 2 P.M. $57^{\circ} 33'$

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Monday Tuesday May 29th

All these 24 hours light & variable winds with some
Calms first part from North Middle S.S.W. later
W.E. & pleasant all sail set up 10.3. to tacklers
Saw A humpback whale Latitude $29^{\circ} 30'$
Harboard tacks aboard Longitude at 2 P.M. $50^{\circ} 41'$

Wednesday first part light breezes from W. E. Middle
30 part squally variable breezes thunder lightning
& rain later part lively breezes from S.W.
& fair weather all sail set Course W. E. Latitude $28^{\circ} 29'$
Longitude at 3 P.M. $50^{\circ} 19'$

Thursday first part strong S.W. winds squally and
31 Showery Middle & later part moderate wind
South & some squalls all sail set Course
W. E. Saw 3 humpbacks Latitude $26^{\circ} 28'$
Longitude at 3 P.M. Merid by Chro $50^{\circ} 14'$
By lunar — — $51^{\circ} 29'$

Friday
All these 24 hours fine breezes from SE
to East & some squally all sail set Course
W. E. & North Saw nothing Latitude $24^{\circ} 25'$
Longitude at 2 P.M. $49^{\circ} 42'$

Saturday first & Middle part light breezes from
2 East pleasant later light from west & calm
ends with lively breezes from south with
light Showers Course North & N.W. Latitude $23^{\circ} 05' S$
Longitude at 2 $49^{\circ} 05' E$

Sunday 3 All these 24 hours lively breezes from
South & fine weather first part Course
N.W. at sunset Coast reefed F. & M. T. sails
Double reefed Main stode Gil & mainsail
left to the wind heading N.S.W. set boats
Cross watches made sail in the morning
and 20 miles off by estimation at 11^h P.M.
tacked off land 12 miles Dist at 11^h 30^m saw
A boat at short Distance from shore there
is A small river called Manangar Latitude $23^{\circ} 40'$
Longitude at 8 P.M. by Chro $47^{\circ} 55'$

Ship Deonidas Cruising For Spinn

Monday 4th of June 1838.

All these 24 hours lively breezes from S.S.E.
 & pleasant weather with passing clouds at 1^h 30^m
 P.M. tacked ship & stood in for the land
 in hopes the natives would fetch of some fruit
 at 3 A boat being near our ship lay about 2 miles
 from shore he paddled up to our stern with seven
 blacks in her only one with cloathes on he said that
 there was a frenchman ashore that put up beef
 in salt that he expected that our ship was from the
 Isle of France for salt beef but no fruit. Weist full
 & stood of shortend sail at night later part
 stood in at 10 A.M. tacked of. Latitude Obs 24° 08'

Long at 8^h 30^m A.M. 47° 44'

Tuesday first & middle part fresh breezes from A.E.

5 good weather later part moderate standing
 to the south saw nothing as usual hard. hard.
 hard Luck Luck Luck Latitude Obs 25° 00'

Land in sight. Long 47° 44'

Wednesday first part light A.E. breezes pleasant middle

6 & later fresh breezes from East to E.S.E.

passing clouds to ends hale. I. sails set

saw several humpbacks Latitude Obs 25° 43'

Long at 2 P.M. 47° 39'

Thursday first part fresh breezes from E.S.E.

7 passing clouds at 3 P.M. next middle

& later strong gails & fair under cloast

sails at 12 middle part tacked ship to south

saw humpbacks Latitude Obs 26° 07'

Long at 2 P.M. Merid 47° 21'

Friday first & middle parts strong gails from A.E.

8 to E.S.E. & clear under C reefs. Gile & M sail

field later part light westerly breezes fine

weather steering A.E. saw several humpbacks

Latitude 26° 08'

Long at 3 P.M. 46° 33'

Saturday All these 24 hours fine breezes from S.W.

9th & S.W. fine weather first part course A.E.

at 4 P.M. steered East all sail set later

part west hale saw several humpbacks

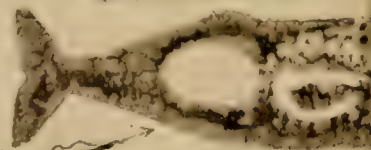
Latitude 26° 28'

Off Port Dauphin Madagascar

Sunday 10th of June

All these 24 hours lively breezes from
S.E. to S.E. pleasant weather steering
east at 3 P.M. hoard for a school of
Sperm whale struck & killed at six o'clock
whale sounded took the line & saw no more
of him came board Double reefed T. sails & worked
to windward all night at 8 P.M. raised more
large whale hoard struck & Drawd went at board
& called it uncoman hard luck so ends these
24 hours whales in sight Latitude $25^{\circ} 20'$
Long at 2 P.M. $48^{\circ} 20'$

Drawd



Monday first part of these 24 hours lively breezes from
SE & fine weather at 2 hoard for a large S. whale
struck killed took along side & cabled at sunset
later part all hands employed in cutting in
strong breezes rain thunder & lightning & rugged
No observation



Tuesday first part strong breezes from E.S.E. & rainy
12 at 3 clear sea rough finished cutting the
body secured the head wore ship to E.S.E.
later part more moderate wore ship to south
hove in junk & bailed case Latitude $26^{\circ} 00'$
land in sight

Wednesday P.M. Commences with strong East winds
13 & clear all hands employed in cutting up &
stowing away junk at 4 started the wicks
middle part strong gales from SE to ESE
& clear later part more moderate wind E.S.E.
Sat Double reefs sea rough all hands
employed in boiling & other jobs at 6:30 P.M.
at ship crossed our stern just out of hail Latitude $26^{\circ} 25'$
Long at 3 P.M. $47^{\circ} 39'$

Thursday first part fresh breezes from N.E.W. passing
14 hoard's middle part moderate later strong
from N.E.W. clear course S.E. under Double
reefs watch employed in boiling Latitude $25^{\circ} 29'$
humpback so ends Long $48^{\circ} 21'$

Cruising of S.E. Maudgasker For

Friday 15 of June 1838

P.M. Commences with strong breezes from West Clear Steering E.S.E. at 4 left to the wind to N.E. at 8 wore ship took in foresail & cold down blowing heavy squally & showery at 3 P.M. started at fire again at 8:30 Sat. P. sail more moderate so ends watch employed in bailing cloudy No observation

Saturday All these 24 hours strong gails from South & S.E. rough sea & overcast lightning to at 4 P.M. finished bailing wore ship N. S.E. W. later part all hands employed in Stowing Down saw at ship of weather heem standing to the Eastward saw a good number of birds Latitude Obs 25° 09'

Long by Chron at 3 P.M. 48° 26'

Sunday All these 24 hours fresh gails from E.S.E. to N.E. later part squally with light showers at 3 P.M. finished stowing down & washed up the decks at 4 P.M. wore ship to North & E at 11 saw land under C. reefs Latitude 25° 15'

Long at 3 P.M. by Chron 47° 53'

Monday All these 24 hours strong gails from N.E. to S.E. first part squally & showery at 5 wore ship land in sight at 8 P.M. reefed P. sail watch employed in cleaning jaw bone

Tuesday first & middle parts strong gails from N.E. to S.E. rough sea middle heavy showers attended with constant lightning & distant thunder heading to S.E. at 11 reefed P. sail & closed M. A. sails later part light airs & calm all sail set Latitude Obs 26° 33'

Wednesday P.M. Commences with calm at 4 had a squall from S.W. & rain. At 8 P.M. at sunset & reefed later part more moderate weather sail turned out all reefs at 4:30 spoke Barque Conservative London Simmons & Co. of N. York bound to Augustin. Latitude 26° 30'

Long by Chron at 3 P.M. 46° 06'

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Sperma Cilles H. C. Stuart Commander

Thursday 21 of June

All these 24 hours fresh breezes from S.S.E. to E.S.E. & fair at 8 P.M. wore ship to South at 8 A.M. Made West under single reefs watch employed in sawing bone &c saw humpbacks

Latitude 24° 25'

Long 2 P Merid 48° 40'

Friday

22 All these 24 hours strong & winds from East & squalls middle part steering West under single reefs at 2 left to the wind heading S by E at sunset C. reef at daylight turned out one reef set gib & M. sail Saw humpbacks

Latitude Obs 25° 20' S.

Long at 2 P.M. by Chro 49° 08' E.

Saturday

23 All these 24 hours fresh breezes from East passing Claudes at 2 P.M. wore ship to the S.W. for Antongil Bay to humpbacks two whaitot

too got wood water refreshments & whaitot saw humpbacks later part on bent M. gib to repair bent St. gib in its place watch employed in repairing gib & sundry other gals

Latitude Obs 24° 09' S

Long at 2 P.M. 48° 58' E

Sunday

24 first & middle parts light breezes from East fine weather later light & squally Starboard tacks aboard saw nothing

Latitude Obs 23° 07'

Long at 4 P.M. Merid 48° 50'

Monday

25 first part squally wind variable at 3 tack ship rainy middle & later parts light breezes from East fine weather watch employed in altering M. S. sail to Ends heading S.S.E.

Latitude — 23° 41'

Long by Chro at 2 P.M. 49° 20' 45"

By Lunar — — — 49° 59'

Tuesday

26 first & middle parts light breezes from East fine weather later from S.E. heading E.S.E. first part watch employed in altering M. S. sail later took in Waist Boate & renaild her at 7 P.M. tacked ship to S.S.E.

Latitude 23° 06'

Long at 3 P.M. 49° 39'

By Lunar 49° 56'

Ship Leonidas For Antongil Bay

Wednesday 27 of June 1838

first & part fine breeze from S.E. pleasant
middle & later parts strong winds from
S.E. squally with light showers first part
haute S.W. W. Bales Course E.S.E. later
S.E. under Double reef No observation

Thursday 28 first part strong S.E. winds & cloudy
middle & later more moderate turned out all
reefs sat. 3 P.M. sails first part Course S.E. at
3 P.M. S.E. So Ends lively breezes clear
saw nothing

Latitude Obs 19° 18'
Long at 2³⁰ by Chron 50° 41'
by Lunar 51° 02'

Friday 29 first & middle parts lively breezes from E.S.E.
pleasant Course S.W. E. later part light breezes
Course S.W. E. at 11 P.M. saw the land the
Isle of St. Marie bearing W. N. W. at 7 P.M.
saw 4 sail at stern standing to S.W. at 11³⁰ M.
spoke the premeditated Brit. frigate back of
3 days from Antongil Bay
with kullack for Isle of France with loss of
the mast 2 days previous hoisting out Dead Buloe

Latitude Obs 17° 22'
Long at 3 P.M. 50° 26'

Saturday All these 24 hours light breezes from S.E.
to S.W. fine weather first part Course S.W. E.
at 5 P.M. S.W. E. at 1 P.M. have M.T. sail to the
mast at 4 hoist full steered S.W. at
12 Meridian Entered the mouth of Antongil
Bay saw humphacks

Latitude Obs 16° 16'
Long at 2 P.M. by Chron 49° 45'

Sunday 1st of July 1838 first part light winds from South
with light showers at 10 took land breeze
Down the Bay about 15 miles from the islands
at 9 P.M. calm saw 4 ship below heading
down the Bay so Ends the tide letten out the
Bay clear calm & hot 15 mile from anchorage

Leighing In Ontongil Bay

Monday 2^d of July 1838

All this Day light breezes from land & small breezes from sea & calms at 3 P.M. light sea breeze sprung up at 12 middle part an came to anchor 2 miles below the loar island at 8 A.M.

Captain loard struck a humpback which run 4 miles Down the Bay cut line with the lance. Caught a Shark that measured 12 feet at 7³⁰ P.M. laid anchor with a light sea breeze at 4 came to anchor to the North of the Island Morroase Island the ship Ann Perry of Portsmouth Capt Swain 500 W 500 of sperm oil 17 months out ship Martha Hudson & M. Holden 5 months out 150 sperm So ends this Day live account including 36 hours light land breeze saw a good number of Whales in the Bay J.S

Tuesday 3rd

All this day light land & sea breezes with fine weather. Harbord watch ashore on liberty Starboard wooding & C. got of two casks of water from shore

Wednesday 4th

first & middle part light land breezes & calm fair weather later part wind from its usual quarters & rainy this day the day of independence of america which ought to be remembered & celebrated by every american ship that wears the stripes & stars in any portion part that at 7 A.M. fired a gun hoisted the signal long pendant & our National flag that waives so beautifully in all quarters of the globe in a flowing breeze no duty carried on this day Harbord watch ashore on liberty fired at 12 oc & at sunset gun

Thursday 5th

All this day wind from its usual quarters & mostly rainy Harbord watch ashore on liberty Starboard cutting wood part of the day & C.

Friday 6th

first part light land breeze & rain middle strong sea breeze & fair later some rain Starboard watch on liberty Harbord wooding saw several humpbacks above the island

Remarks On Board Ship Leonidas

Saturday 7th of July 1838

All this day wind from its usual quarters
first part rain sea breeze strong larboard
watch ashore on liberty Starboard wooding at 4 P.M.
Arrived English ship Margaret St Johns Terry Master

Sunday 8th

This day light land sea breeze strong
squally & rainy weather fitted the boats for
whaling no liberty this day saw several
humpbacks

Monday 9th

first & middle part light land breeze
& calm at 6 A.M. started all boats for
whaling from the ships at 4 P.M. returned
to the ship with no success saw several struck
none sea breeze strong the remainder part
of the day & same squally

Tuesday 10th

All this day wind from its usual quarters
& showery at 5 A.M. lowered all boats pulled
down below the island struck a whale
cut the line by his flukes or with the
barnacles.

Wednesday 11th

This day Commences with light breezes Cloudy
& light rain middle part clear calm & hot sun
later lively sea breezes some rain at 12 middle part
hurnd up a whale 4 miles below the Islands
at 11^h 30^m took him along side & cabled him
So Ends this day raining



Thursday 12th

first part rainy middle & later fair at 7
Commenced cutting at 10 finished cleared up started
the works so ends Baiting with hole watches
3 men sick with griping pain about the stomach
of vomiting & sickness

Friday 13th

first & middle parts fine at 8 A.M. finished
baiting Starboard watch ashore on liberty
later part lively sea breeze some rain

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Whaling In Moose Harbor Antongd Bay

Saturday July 14th 1838

first part rainy middle fair later rain
with strong sea breeze larboard watch shore
on liberty starboard cutting wood &c 3 men sick

Sunday 15th

All this day strong sea breezes & rainy
mostly part of the time

Monday 16

first & later parts showery middle part
fair at 6 board all 3 boats pull down the
bay for whales at 1 P.M. returned with the
sea breeze & without success starboard watch
went shore wooding larboard employed
in sundry jobs on board

Tuesday 17th

first part rainy dirty weather at 7 started
all boats whaling at 9³⁰ returned rainy
dirty weather & a strong sea breeze at 12
fair later rainy

Wednesday 18th

first part light rain middle fair at 5³⁰
board all boats pull down the bay for whales
at 1 P.M. returned without success later part
breezy sea breezes & fair saw but few whales

Thursday 19th Broke out all the water cask sent them shore

All this day light breezes from North & East
& calm waist boats true shore on liberty
the rest employed in sundry jobs about the
ship arrived Brig off & from Isle
of France later rain

Friday 20

first & middle parts light airs & calm
later strong sea breezes cloudy & some
rain larboard boats true shore on liberty
the rest employed in sundry jobs shore
splitting wood cutting iron poles cooper setting
up pipes &c

Antongil Bay
Remarks on Board Ship Leonidas

Saturday 21 of July 1838

Most part of this day rainy Dirty weather
& light winds first part all hands Employed
stowing down oil in the fore hold so Ends
rainy Captain Sick - Saw several whale

Sunday 22

first part rainy weather middle fair strong
sea breeze later rainy saw whales above
the island Captain some better

Monday 23

Most part of this day dirty weather
rain & some fog fresh sea breeze first part
all hands employed in filling water shoar
& stowing down empty Casks down the fore hold
for water later nothing on the account of
the Captains sickness severe pain in the head

Tuesday 24

& stomach & fever.

first part fair middle rainy later some
rain all hands Employed in getting of wood &
water & stowing down took in 115 bls water
three loads wood Captain Stuart very sick

Wednesday 25

first part some rain middle fair later heavy
rain all hands Employed in getting wood water
& stowing down the same. Loaded all the
fresh water & dry Casks full which makes 300 bls
on board. Captain Stuart some easier making preparations

Thursday 26

All this day fine & pleasant weather took
of the remainder of the wood stowed all full
below bent the Sails & got all ready for sea.
Captain Stuart more better

Friday 27

first part light land breeze cloudy weather
at 6 A.M. set all sail waid anchor for sea with
a light air down the bay in company with ship
Harmer Hudson wheldest Commander middle part
Calm & Clear Captain Wheldest Came on Board
& spent the day at 1 P.M. small sea breeze at
6 lively backed ship under the west shoar
& weathered the lower Islands saw a good many
hump backs the Captain is not so well to day
at 8 took a lively land breeze started
and fine breeze & fair weather

Remarks At Sea

Saturday 28th July 1838

First Part of fine Breeze Down the Bay
later Calm At 12 Meridian Cape East
Bore N.E. By E. Distance 15 Miles By Estimation
to Ends this Day & Civil account. Encloding
12 hours Calm & Clear weather & A good number
of humpbacks Capt Stuart some better Capt
Whelden came on Board at 5 P.M. & spent the Day

Sunday 29

Stowed the anchors & bent the chains
All these 24 hours light Breezes from N.E.
Clear & pleasant weather in Company with
Ship Martha Course S.S.E. watch Employed
Capt Whelden came on Board & spent the
Day with Capt Stuart he is gaining slowly

Latitude — 19° 47'

Monday 30

Long at 4 P.M. 51° 06'

All these 24 hours light Breezes from N.E.
to N.W.E. Clear & warm weather all sail set
Course S.S.E. & S.E. By S watch Employed in
Sundry jobs Capt Whelden came Board &
spent the day Capt Stuart Considerable
better

Latitude 18° 36'

Tuesday 31

Long at 3° 30' 51° 35'

All these 24 hours light Breezes from
N.E. & N.W.E. Clear & pleasant weather
later part watch Employed in repairing
M. T. G. sail at 7 P.M. Capt Whelden went
aboard & took in sail to cruise for whale
steered S.E. By S. at 8 kept off S.W. at 8 A.M.
S.W. By S saw A Brig & A Barque standing
to the Eastward to Ends these 24 hours all
sail set Capt Stuart has Men on deck

Latitude 19° 32' S

Thursday 1st of August

Long at 3 P.M. 51° 27' E

First & Middle parts fine Breezes from
East to N.E. & fine weather at 11 A.M.
wind shifted to the S.E. in A squall Double
sift Course S.W. watch Employed in repairing sails

Thursday 2

Lat 20° 47'

P.M. Commences with strong Breeze from W. Cloudy
at 2 had A squall from S.W. attended with rain thunder
& lightning. Middle lively breezes from N.E. & fair later
at 8 Calm with Employed in repairing sail Long 50°
Stuart Considerable smart

Remarks On Board Ship Leonida

Friday 3rd of August 1838

P.M. Commenced with a squall from the N.W. & some rain middle & later lively breezes from E.S.E. weather fine Course S.W. by W. Capt Stuart is gone slowly
Employed in sundry jobs Latitude 22° 57' Long at 2 P.M. 48° 55'

Saturday 4

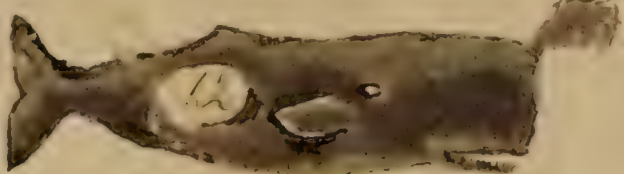
All this day fine breezes from E.S.E. to N.E. & fine weather watch Employed in sundry jobs Course S.W. & S.W. by W. at 12 Meridian saw the land Capt. Stuart is well so well to day Latitude - - 24° 36' Long at 2 P. Meridian 47° 56'

Sunday 5

first & middle part lively breezes from N.E. & fine weather later light from N.W. at 4 P.M. raised sperm whale at 5 lowered & did not get near them stood to the N.E. at 1 P.M. tacked ship at 8 tacked in so ends saw nothing Capt Stuart better Latitude 25° 06' Long at 2 P.M. 47° 49'

Monday 6

first part light breezes from N.W. clear weather at 6 P.M. light air from the South were ship steered N.W. saw the land at sunset middle part strong breezes & lightning double reef at 9. At 10 raised a school of sperm whale lowered struck killed & took along side one whale at 12th 30^m so ends there 24 hours fresh gails from S.E. & passing clouds the sea rough Capt & the same Latitude 26° 23' Long at 3 P.M. 46° 17'



Tuesday 7

All this 24 hours fresh gails from S.E. to H & passing clouds at 6th 30^m commenced eating at 11 had the head of a body in so ends heading to the west Capt. Stuart about the same Latitude 26° 23' Long at 3 P.M. 46° 17'

From Antongil Bay towards Madagascar

Wednesday 8th of August

First part fresh breeze from E. & fair
all hands employed in clearing
away junk & stowage of stores & then other
light breeze made small sail & started the
sails little part but it sprang from E & E
attended with sharp squalls & heavy
rain at 1 P.M. fair breeze with
light breeze from W. clear & pleasant
Starboard look aboard heading W. N. W.
watch employed in hauling down
& pinbacks
Latitude 26° 30' S
Longitude 43° 30' E

Thursday 9

Calloused to winds light breeze from
W. N. W. to W. S. W. weather at 5 P.M. fair but
ship to the W. N. W. watch employed in hauling
at 1 P.M. lineal cleared & was on the decks
Capt Stuart some better
Latitude 26° 12' S
Longitude 43° 41' E

Friday 10

Calloused to winds light breeze from
W. N. W. to W. S. W. weather at 5 P.M. fair but
ship to the W. N. W. watch employed in hauling
at 1 P.M. lineal cleared & was on the decks
Capt Stuart some better
Latitude 25° 52' S
Longitude 42° 21' E

Saturday 11

first part light breeze from W. N. W. to W. S. W.
breeze from W. N. W. to W. S. W. weather at 5 P.M. fair but
ship to the W. N. W. watch employed in hauling
at 1 P.M. lineal cleared & was on the decks
Capt Stuart some better
Latitude 25° 52' S
Longitude 42° 21' E

Sunday 12

first part fresh breeze from W. N. W. to W. S. W.
breeze from W. N. W. to W. S. W. weather at 5 P.M. fair but
ship to the W. N. W. watch employed in hauling
at 1 P.M. lineal cleared & was on the decks
Capt Stuart some better
Latitude 25° 52' S
Longitude 42° 21' E

Remarks on Board Ship Leonidas

Monday 13th August 1838

first part lively breezes from S.S.W. Clear
at 3 past 10th Maid Sandy island at sunset
past it at 11th Came to anchor in Augusteen
Bay in seven fathoms water with our best lower
ships lighting to anchor most of the Captains
came on board fired the sails set the watch 2 men
in 1st watch at 7 O'Clock our decks were covered with
the natives A good number of the royal family
assembled on the quarter deck to get there piece or part
Change later part Employed in sundry jobs about
the rigging sent down Mr. S. S. yard fitted the rigging
& sent it up Cooper setting up shrouks & stands this
day with light land breezes including 36 hours

Tuesday 14th

first part of this day light land breezes
middle part small breezes from North
Clear & warm weather later part lively
breezes from sea & pleasant weather first
part all hands Employed in Sundry jobs
setting up rigging went shore & got O. Bullark
Cooper setting up shrouks later about the
same got Casks ready for rafting 46 bbls
Capt gaining slowly

Wednesday 15th Mrs. Hermann

first part light land breezes later part
fresh sea breeze at 4th 30th O'Clock started with
40 casks for water at 12 meridien came
out the river with 4 strong sea breeze raft
rope & buckets parted last 5 pipes towed
five shore & five put aboard & 1 stove

Thursday 16

first part small breezes from land & calm
went Oshore with the third boat & towed
of the remainder of the raft at sunrise had
it on deck all hands went below & stowed
in later part stowed it down strong sea
breeze clear water Capt quite smart

Friday 17

first part all day fresh land breezes & fine weather
started watch shore on liberty
Ship Portland of Newburg & Friend of Greenport

Logging in Augustan Bay

Saturday 18th of August 1838

All this day light land & sea breezes Calms
clear & pleasant weather Starboard watch
shoar on liberty Starboard employed in
staying masts &c went up river for 4 hullarch
got none Capt Stuart not so well

Sunday 19th

This day lively land & sea breezes Clear
& pleasant weather Starboard watch on
liberty Capt Stuart some better

Monday 20th

All this day fine weather lively land
& sea breezes Starboard watch on liberty
Starboard employed in necessary jobs on board
sent down main & mizen royal masts & mizen
T. G. yard went shoar & got 4 hullarch

Tuesday 21st

All this day fine sea & strong sea breezes
fine weather Starboard watch on liberty
Starboard on ships duty sent down T. royal mast
T. G. yard & T. G. Boom went shoar & got grafts
Capt some better

Wednesday 22nd

This day fine weather light land & strong
sea breeze Starboard watch on liberty
Starboard watch employed in ships duty
went shoar & got 4 hullarch for 10 fathoms
Crew got seven Casks ready for rafting
the Negroes took 4 boats sail by force from
two of the liberty men armed with muskets
& spears sailed ship Neptune to harbour
Slate Com. Barque Reaper Salem later part strong sea

Thursday 23rd

First part fresh land breezes middle part calm
later lively sea breezes got 4 raft of water
& stowed it down all hands employed in
ships duty arrived ship Jason from Delago
Bay with 400 lbs whale oil from the Bay

Friday 24th

This day light land & lively sea breezes All
hands employed in sundry jobs of ships
Duty went shoar & got 4 small hullarch

Remarks On Board of Ship Leonidas

Saturday 25th of August 1838

All this day wind from its usual quarters light with fine weather Employed in sundry jobs & good number of shells aboard & vegetables & not much to trade with Capt Stuart is Considerable better got ready for

Sunday 26

First part light land middle lively Sea later strong land breezes & fine Weather

Monday 27

First part light land breezes At 6 A.M. waid anchor & put to sea in Company with ship Ann Mariah Middleton Newlandan Barque Jason To Fuller Commander left no ships in port at 10 Sandy Island bore E by S Distance 8 miles by Estimation To ends this day including 12 hours fresh gails from South under double reefs

Tuesday 28

Latitude 23° 31'

At 10 these 24 hours strong gails from South to S.E. at 3 Cloast. reefed first & 4th sail & 5th at 5 took in 1st & 2nd sail at 7 took in M. & 3rd sail at 9 A.M. set it again Jason in sight At raigh Sea on

Wednesday 29

Latitude 24° 23'

At these 24 hours strong gails from S.E. to H & flying clouds at 1 P.M. reefed 3rd sail at 3 first M. & 3rd sail at 1 A.M. heavy gusts took in 1st sail the sea very bad Ends same Capt Stuart quite smart killed a small Bull Shark

Thursday 30

Latitude 25° 08'

First & middle parts strong gails from SE & heavy gusts later more moderate & A.M. Sat reef fore sail at 6³⁰ Sat Cloast reef 1st & 2nd sails Sea very irregular which causes the ship to lurch heavy pump same oil

Latitude 25° 36'

Longitude at 3 P.M. 41° 33'

From Augusteen Bay Toward Whale grove

Friday 31st of August 1838

All these 24 hours fresh gails from
S.E. to E.S.E. flying Clouds. Mairs tails
mashed. 11 A.M. & 12 Bulls Eyes & rough
Sea. At 6 P.M. saw 4 Ship at our weather
Bow on the same tack. at 6 P.M. turned
one reef out. M. T. Sail at 11 P.M. set
reef. Mainsail Capt. is gaining. Latitude $26^{\circ} 22'$

Saturday 1st of September

First & Middle parts fresh gails from
S.E. to E.S.E. under double reefs Courses & gill
later part more moderate turned one reef
out. T. Sails watch. Employed in sundry jobs
fitted & put up 4 new boats Bearer

Sunday 2

Latitude $27^{\circ} 13'$

First part strong breezes from E.S.E. $41^{\circ} 32'$
& fine. Middle & later lively & pleasant
weather. Carload tacks aboard all sail
at all heading S by E to S.E. by S first
part on bent Mizen T. Sail Condemed it
Bent 4 better one

Latitude $28^{\circ} 18'$

Long by Chron at 3 P.M. $41^{\circ} 53' E$

Monday 3

First part fine breezes from E.S.E.
fine weather. Middle fresh breezes later
fine & fair. All hands Employed in
Braking out & Coopering Oil found
2 Casks about $\frac{2}{3}$ out Leach & several
others that had leaked. A triple rep of
SSW on the account of righting the Ship

Latitude $29^{\circ} 44'$

Tuesday 4

First part light breeze from E.S.E.
Clear & pleasant. All hands Employed in
Braking out & Coopering. finished in the
after. Thale. Middle & later parts lively
breezes from S.E. to S.W. fine clear weather
watch Employed in sundry jobs had 4 look
at the Oil in the main & fore hold it appeared
to be in prime order. So ends Course. All
all sail set

Latitude $29^{\circ} 47'$

Long at 230^m P.M. $44^{\circ} 47'$

Remarks On Board Ship Leonida

Wednesday 5 of September

First & Middle parts lively breezes from N.W. clear middle heavy & light clouds passing from the western board & some lightning at 5 P.M. wind shifted in a squall to S.W. Cleared down & double reef ends with lively breezes from S.W. with rain heading S.E. No Observation

Thursday 6

These 24 hours commence with strong light S.W. breezes rainy weather middle & later parts strong double reef breezes squalls attended with smart showers of rain about on board. To. T. M. Stairsail & Mizzen to repair so ends with passing clouds wind South

Capt Stuart is quite smart Latitude $31^{\circ} 16'$

Friday 7

Long at 2 30 P.M. $48^{\circ} 31'$

First part fresh breeze from South passing clouds middle light & hailing all sail set later light from S.E. weather fine sea smooth a good number of whale birds around the ship first part finished & bent Mizzen & Stairsail later about mainsail to repair so end. Larboard tacks aboard

Saturday 8

First part small breezes from S.E. weather fair bent mainsail about M. T. G. sail. Condensed it & bent another middle part calm at 4 30 P.M. A. M. A lively breeze sprung up from E.N.E. squaired the yards course. South overcast later part lively breeze from N.W. & overcast watch employed in sundry jobs about rigging putting on chipping gear. Saw 4 supper bottom Latitude $31^{\circ} 30'$

Sunday 9

First part lively breezes from North overcast middle light rain At 3 30 P.M. A. M. heavy rain at 4 wind held to N.W. Moon broke out at 5 wind N.W. Cleared away trimmed all sail to the wind & lively breeze ends clear & pleasant wind light course South & swell from N.W. Latitude $33^{\circ} 08'$ not but a few birds to Long at 2 30 P.M.

and

From Augusteen Bay Towards Whaleys

Monday 10th September 1838

First part light West Winds passing Clouds
Middle baffling light showers at intervals
At 6 A.M. saw the sail of weather beam ends
with light South breezes & passing watch employed
in re-mailing the boats & sundry other jobs
All sail set Starboard tack Starboard

Tuesday 11

Long Latitude $34^{\circ} 03' S$

First part lively breezes & squally with light
showers of rain Middle light baffling from SSE
& calm later small breezes from West clear
weather Course South Watch employed in sundry
jobs painted the boats &c saw the sail bearing
ESE some Whale Birds in sight Latitude $34^{\circ} 14'$

Long at 8 30 A.M. By Chron $52^{\circ} 07' E$

Wednesday 12

By Lunar

$51^{\circ} 51' 30''$

First part lively breezes from S.W.
& fair at 10 P.M. Tacked ship Wind SE
Ends with fresh breezes & passing Clouds
Watch employed in ship's duty

Latitude $35^{\circ} 08'$

Thursday 13

First part strong breezes from ESE passing
Clouds at 2 Double reefed at 5 took in the sail
gills at 6 30 Close reefed & reefed to Course
At 10 strong galls took in the sails Clouds
& dirty weather later more moderate light
showers at intervals Wind ESE under Close
reef the sails Double reefed M. & Courses
Starboard tack aboard heading SE First part
saw finbacks Watch employed in ship's
duty Our Commander is in good health once
more but has not yet gained full strength
but is in a fair way for it he eats heartier
& is fleshier than he has been the voyage before

Latitude $36^{\circ} 04'$

Friday 14

Long at 2 30 P.M. $54^{\circ} 07'$

All these 24 hours fresh gills from
N.E. to N.W. & mostly Cloudy under
Close & Double reefs Course ESE saw
nothing but a few birds

Latitude

Long at 8 A.M.

By Lunar

$55^{\circ} 47'$
 $55^{\circ} 12'$

Remarks On Board Ship Leonidas

Saturday 15th of September 1858

First part fresh gails from N.W. & passing Clouds. Middle North & overcasts blowing strong. E. reefed T. sails later Wind N.W. Cadmus E.S.E. saw several albatrosses & a few small Whalbirds but no whale

Latitude by D.K. 36° 30' S
Long at 8 A.M. by Chro 58° 41' W
At 2³⁰ P.M. L. Ch. 59° 30'

Sunday 16

First part strong gails from N.W. & overcasts under Mast reefs & T. Course at 4³⁰ took in T. sail & T. T. sail left to heading N.W. at 6 rain at 9 Wind shifted to S.W. with heavy rain at 5³⁰ A.M. made 2nd Doubt reefs kept of N.W. & saw 4th sail bearing N.W. & steering to the Eastward some birds around. Light showers of rain at intervals. Saw 4th finback at 9 turned out all reefs. Sat M. T. G. sail so ends with 4th lively breeze from S.W. & passing Clouds Mast heads well manned with earnest looks for a right whale but none can be seen Latitude 35° 45'

Monday 17

First & middle parts fresh breezes from S.W. & passing Clouds steering N.W. & at sunset kept took in sail hauled up to the N.W. at 6 made sail kept of N.W. & on bent main & T. sails. For sail & 4th & bent others in there places so ends these 24 hours wind light weather fine & 4th heavy swell from South

Latitude 34° 31'

Tuesday 18

Long at 2 P.M. 59° 21'

Commences with light airs from S.W. at 3 Calm at 5 light air from North watch employed in repairing T. T. sail middle & later parts lively breezes from North overcasts at 12 middle part wore ship to N.W. & at 11 A.M. saw 4th sail 2 points S. Weather beam which proved to be Dryad Latitude 34° 24'

Long at 3 P.M. 60° 06'

Cruising For Whale Indian Ocean

Wednesday 19th of September 1838

First & Middle parts fresh breezes from North
& overcast larboard took aboard heading NNE
at 2 spoke Ship Triad Greenport later
part fresh gails from N.W. Clear Sat C. reefs
P.M. 2 Sails Double main & Steered SSE
at 10 raised 2 ships at 12. period spoke
Ship Stanington New London Rise Com
Saw pinbacks

Latitude 34 21 S

Thursday 20

Long at 2 P.M. 61 40 E

First & Middle parts of these 24 hours fresh
gails from N.W. flying clouds. At 4 P.M. spoke
Ship Tuscalusa New Bedford Thru 4 months
out no ail. got 4 few papers but no letters
which quite disappointed all of the Aftergard
later more moderate ~~at~~ sat Double reefs stood
to North & East the other ships run to the East
Saw nothing

Latitude 33 34'

Long at 2 P.M. 62 38'

Friday 21

First & Middle parts fresh breezes from N.W.
With flying Clouds steering East & SSE. Saw
pinbacks at sunset took in sail & headed
to N.W. later part light rains & foggy lively
breeze sat single reefs No observation

Latitude About 32 50'

Saturday 22

First part light breeze from NW to West
foggy & fine rain most part of the time
Steered East at 5 wind halled to SSE small
breeze took in sail later part light breeze
from East & N.E. Saw pinbacks Steered South
Saw Ship Tuscalusa two miles to windward
Cloudy weather No Observation

Sunday 23

First part light breezes from N.W. & E
Cloudy with some light rain steering
S.S.W. at sunset Cast reef Middle part
light airs & Calms later part fine breeze
from N.W. raised all sail Steered South
Saw pinbacks some all the way in sight

at 6 Saw a sail of a boat

Latitude 33 48

proved to be the Stanington

63 35 15

Ship Leonidas Cruising For Whales

Monday 24 of September 1838

All these 24 hours fine breezes from N.W.
to N.W.S. midll & later some foggy at 5 P.M.
Saw 4 sail bearing SW Saw pinbacks

Latitude 34° 57'

Tuesday 25

First & Middle parts lively breezes from
N.W.S. & some fog later fresh from N.W. & clear
Saw several pinbacks at 11 Saw 4 sail of
Weather beam Double reefed 4 tacks aboard
heading N.W.S. some albatrosses in sight

Latitude By Obs. 35° 33'

Wednesday 26

Long at 4 P.M. by Chro 64° 12'

All these 24 hours fresh gails from N.W. to
S.S.W. first part flying Clouds at 30 m P
Meridian spoke ship Ramboe Sagharbaw 900 lbs
at 2 P.M. raised 4 Wright Whale lowered
Did not get near him he was going to windward
to part Middle squally later overcast at
8 raised 4 whale lowered all 3 boats without
the sea very rough Saw 4 good number
of birds so ends under Double reef Standing
to the West

Latitude 35° 17'

Long at 3 P.M. 63° 32'

Thursday 27

First & Middle parts fresh gails from
South & passing Clouds later more moderate
Saw nothing

Friday 28

First & Middle parts light breezes from S.S.W.
fine weather at 2 P.M. lowered for 4 whale
& saw him but once more saw several pinbacks
4 tacks aboard all these 24 hours later part
lively breeze from N.W.S. & overcast
A good number of birds

Latitude 35° 26'

Saturday 29

First part strong breezes from N.W.
At 1:30 m tacked ship to N.W.S. at 4 Double reefed
later strong gails squally & rain at 8 P.M.
was shifted to SW Cleared up at 10 Sat
Double reefs

Latitude 34° 30'

Long at 2 P.M. 64° 41'

Indian Ocean Herman & Stuart

Sunday 30 Day of September 1838

At 4 hours fresh breezes from S.W. flying Clouds
At 8 & 4.00. At Barque past to windward about 3 miles
Distance standing to windward at 9 tacked to S.E.
So Ends haly I sails & courses set saw nothing
but birds

Latitude 33° 52' S
Long at 3 30 P.M. 65° 08' E

Monday 1 Day of October

First part fresh breezes from S.W. flying
Clouds At 4 spoke Barque Cavalier Salem
and whale Boiling tacked ship to windward at sunset
cept middle & later parts wind light weather
fine at 6 30 tacked ship to south winds W.S.W.
saw 1/2 weight whale going fast to windward
lowered but the Devil it was no youse he was
af like a hog in a storm nose down

Latitude 33° 52'

Tuesday 2

Long at 2 P.M. 64° 28'

First & middle parts light breezes from
W.S.W. hazy weather later fresh from W.S.W.
Cloudy standing to south & W saw pinbacks

Latitude 34° 48'

Wednesday 3

Long 64° 38'

At these 24 hours strong breezes from W.S.W.
to N.W. & overcasts under Double reefs S & T
Aboard a good many birds around at
6 At 6 saw 1/2 Right whale going to windward
fast did not lower

Latitude 25° 46'

Thursday 4

Commences with fresh gale from N.W.
Cloudy At 2 P.M. wind shifted to S.W.
in a squall & rain took in sail & headed
to the westward middle light breezes & foggy
ends with fresh gale from S.E. thick & rainy
At 4 took in sail No observation

Friday 5

First & middle parts fresh gale from
S.E. thick & rainy at 4 P.M. wore ship to S.W.
At 4 sun broke out later part wind
light from south steering N.W. At 8 lowered
for 1/2 weight whale Did not faze so ends
weather fine & lively ground

Latitude 35° 23'

Long at 2 P.M. 62° 58'

On Board Ship Leonidas Savina

Saturday 6 of October 1838

First & middle parts light breezes from East
to North fine weather later fresh & flaring
standing to westward At 9 lowered bar & it
stale without success at 10 Double reef

Latitude

35° 16' N

Sunday 7

Long at 9^h 30^m Cf. lth. 62° 42'

First part fresh gails from North & Cloudy
(Middle & later strong gails & Cloudy Sighing
to saw a whale's & several finches

2^d Observation

Mandary 8

Commences with hard gails from North & cloudy at 2 P.M. wind shifted to N.W. with heavy rain later fresh breeze from South weather fine steering N.W. Saw finbacks at 4 P.M. At sail bearing S.W. which proved to be a French ship
At ends all sail set Latitude

Longitude

3518

Tuesday 9

Lang, at 2 P. M.

61° 22'

8 All these 24 hours light winds from
South to W.S.W. pleasant weather first part
Spoke A French Whale ship 39 days from
Havre No oil. Got A whale to be seen
the ground Dead as the Devil Overcoats

No Observation

Wednesday 10

First part lively breezes from West
fine weather middle & later strong gails
from West & some showers of rain
later steered SE at 10 Sat C reefs saw a few
birds & no whale Latitude

Latitude

35 18

Thursday 11

Leang at 2 P.M.

61° 53

Thirst part fresh gails from South
passing clouds standing to S & E
Crews Middle moderate later Calm
light air from N.W. fine Saw nothing
all sail Course N Latitude 34

Latitude

34° 58'

Song at L. P. H.

62 42

Friday 12



First & middle parts light breeze from NW line.
later fresh & Overcast at 2 PM lowered & Chart
did not pass at 3 lowered & Hunt killed back along side
9 PM later cut in saw 2 whale lowered & did not
saw 1 whale there 24 hours lat 38° 48' long at 2 PM 68° 48'

rocks here. Inhabited there 24 hours lat. $34^{\circ}48'$ long at 22.36 68°

Indian Ocean On Whaleground B.C. 77 Commander Stuart

Saturday 13 of October 1838

First part lively breezes from W. & N.W. weather clear
standing to SW spoke at French ship board East
middle small breezes cloudy later lively from NW
some light rain at intervals saw finbacks

Sunday 14

Latitude 35° 04'



First part fresh breezes from N.W. & some fog
At 4 P.M. lowered struck killed & took along
side at 6 At R.T. Whale at 12 middle took fine
baiting later all hands employed in cutting in
started the works & commenced bracking out
strong breezes & passing clouds

Monday 15

First part fresh gails from N.W. & some
rain at 3 Could do down at 6 started again
stowed down 45 bbls of oil middle part
light breezes from S.W. & fine at 11 wore ship
to N.W. later lively breeze from West to N.W.
larboard tacks aboard employed in baiting
gilde & New line

Latitude 35° 03'

Tuesday 16

Long at 3 P.M. 63° 52' E

All these 24 hours fresh gails from West to
N.W. squally & showers of rain standing
to the South at 7 At 10 fine shot boiling & commenced
stowing down saw finbacks Latitude 35° 56'

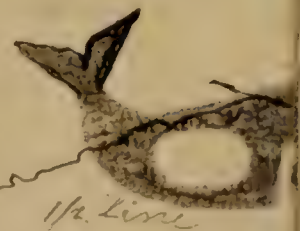
Wednesday 17

All these 24 hours strong breezes from W. & N.W.
to N.W. standing to N.W. fine shot stowing down
later saw humpbacks so ends under hole
I sails & courses some squally Latitude 35° 17'

Thursday 18

Long at 2 P.M. 64° 28'

first part strong breezes from N.W.
& squally at 4 1/2 lowered for 2 whales
saw 20 minutes hie SB struck run the boate under
& nearly fild her cut line lost one harpoon
& half the line middle & later fresh gails
some cloudy under double reefs Latitude 34° 33'



Friday 19

Long 65° Commences with fresh gails from West & rainy steering ESE
in At ship to board at 4 30 more moderate cleared up lowered
5 whales SB struck At stumer killed on till sunset & cut
into wind S.W. spoke & harpoon & harpoon boiling
At sail standing to South & West Latitude 34° 40'



Ship Leonidas of Fairhaven 1838

Saturday 20 of October

Commence with small breezes from SSW weather fine. lowered for 2 whales Could not faren at 4 lowered again without success Middle Moderate Neptune took 4 whale later strong breezes from N.W. flying claudes saw nothing

Sunday 21 Longitude 65° 50' Latitude 34° 10'

First part fresh gails from N.W. standing to South later light breezes from N.W. flying claudes saw two whales going to windward fast lowered & gave up the chase to ends lively breeze standing to S & W all sail set

Monday 22 Longitude at 4 P.M. 65° 57' Latitude 34° 40'

All these 24 hours fresh gails from N.W. to N.E.W. standing to W.S.W. saw 5 whales all going to N.E.W. fast at 1 P.M. wore ship stood to N.E. at 4 wore again watch employed in cleaning bone. saw nothing under double reefs

Tuesday 23 Longitude at 2 P.M. 65° 37' Latitude 35° 08'

All these 24 hours fresh gails from N.W. later rainy weather at 9 P.M. wore ship wind west ends with fresh breezes from SW rainy under double reefs Course N.W. No observation

Wednesday 24 Longitude at 2 P.M. 64° 49' Latitude 35° 16'

First & middle parts light breezes from S.W. to West saw five whales put at night lowered & could not faren later light airs & Calms & 4 heavy swell from SW saw several whales Chast without success

Thursday 25 Longitude 65° 08' Latitude 35° 21'

Commence with light airs from North Longitude at 3 P.M. by Chron 65° 08' by Lunar 64° 53' Middle & later fresh breezes from North to N.E.W. flying claudes saw several whales & Chaste without success first part saw 4 ship bearing SW later to 3 points of lea bore

On Whaleground Indian Ocean

Friday 26 October

First part lively breezes from NW
flying clouds standing to NE. saw
two whales middle part fresh gails were
ship to West at 4 were again Ends with
strong gails & heavy sea & rain at ship
of 100 guater at 11 A.M. lost Starboard boat
of the Crains with all the Craft & line
No observation

Saturday 27

At 12^h 30^m wind shifted from North to SW
in A moment with A hard gail & heavy rain
which made our ship labour some hard
at 4 more moderate & cleared some Lat
Lsail & C. mixed T. sail standing to West
4 ships in sight at 12 middle part were
to SE at 9 A.M. were again at 11^h 30^m saw
An ear lowered 2 boats picked up the ear
& pulled 2 or 3 miles to windward found Drug
paddle & several peeces sealing at 2 30 returned
to ship wind light weather fine all sail
in sight 4 ship 2 bailing put A boat on
the Starboard Crains Latitude

34° 45' S

Sunday 28

Long at 4 P.M.

65° 42' E

first & middle parts light breezes from
South to SE fine weather 4 ships in sight
Spake ship Messenger New Bedford Kindren
1300 bbls oil & 600 sperm Boiling later part
strong breezes saw 2 whales struck & killed
one & sunk lost 20 of line & 2 harpoons & lance
boat stove lightly took his in put a mother on
the Crains & commenced repairing her Latitude

34° 32'

Monday 29

Long at 3 P.M.

64° 58'

First part strong breezes from NW
overcasts under double reefs later fresh
gails cloudy under short sail heaving to
the East 4 ship in sight Latitude

34 31

Tuesday 30

Long at 3 P.M.

65 58

First part fresh gails from North &
overcasts at 12 30 middle part wind shifted
to NE. rainy Ends with hard gails from
the & rain lightning to heading NW by W
No observation

Remarks On Board Ship Leonie

Wednesday 31 of October 1838

First & Middle parts hard gails from South rainy later more moderate with broken clouds Sat 5 P.M. Stairsail heading from NW by W to West Ends wind S.W. 2 Ships in sight of sea bar the Messenger & Barque Cavalier to learn first part turned up & Boats.

I am in hopes to get a whole lower Latitude. $34^{\circ} 25'$

Thursday 1 of November Long at 3 P.M. By Chron $64^{\circ} 25'$

First part Decreasing gails from NW & passing Clouds standing to S.E. wore at 2 Ship Messenger & Barque Cavalier of our sea Sat 5 sail at 6 turned one reef out M.T. sail Middle more moderate later good whole weather saw six lowered without success to Ends without success Latitude $34^{\circ} 25'$

Friday 2 Long at 3³⁰ P.M. $65^{\circ} 17'$

First part fresh breezes from N.W. passing Clouds at 4 tacked ship to S.W. at sunset lowered & lashed a whole took in sail Middle fresh gail later part strong gails & some rain heading W.S.W. No Observation

Saturday 3 First

First & Middle parts Fresh gails from N.W. rainy weather at 6 P.M. wore ship to North later more moderate Sat Double reefs saw 2 whales struck & Drawed from one Wind S.W. weather good Latitude $34^{\circ} 30'$



Long at 8 A.M.

$64^{\circ} 30'$

Sunday 4

First part fine breezes from NW saw several whales lowered struck killed took along side one at 5 P.M. & cut him in Middle part light airs from North & strong later commenced barling saw 2 whales lowered without success had fresh gails from N.W. & strong took in sail

Latitude $34^{\circ} 30'$

On Whalegrounde Indian Ocean

Monday 5 of November

First part strong gails from NNE
at 2 raining could down took in F. sail.
at 9 P.M. more ship to NNE wind
NW. Middle & later parts hard gails &
heavy squalls attended with rain. Wind
by NW heighing to under E reef M. J.
Sail M. Stairsail & mizen the sea high
turnt the sea boate up Latitude 34° 40' N

Tuesday 6

First & Middle parts hard gails from
NW by W. & passing cloudes heading to the N
& W later part more moderate at 6 started
the works at 10 bot C. M. J. sail turnt one
out the main Ends with no whale weather
Latitude 34° 18' N

Wednesday 7

Long at 3 P.M. 65° 17' E

All these 24 hours strong gails from
W & NW to NW & passing cloudes standing to
SW W & NW finest boiling & commenced
stowing down in after hole Latitude 34° 48' N

Thursday 8

All these 24 hours fresh gails from
NW & passing cloudes at 3 P.M. finest
stowing down wore ship to NW & later part
bot double reefs saw one whale to rough
to lower first part 2 ships in sight one of
weather bow the other of lee beam one hailing
So Ends heading to NW & Latitude 35° 58' N

Friday 9

First part fresh gails from NW raining took
in sail wore ship at 5 wind shifted to WSW
more moderate later part strong gails
& hard squalls attended with rain one
ship in sight at 10 P.M. wind SW wore
ship split F & M Stairsail in A squall
abent & hint A new one Latitude 34° 28' N

Saturday 10

Long at 2 30 P.M. 66° 20' E

First & Middle parts strong gails from
W & NW & squalls later more moderate Sat.
C. reefs at 11 lowered for A whale without
& saw 2 more at hole Latitude 33° 1'
at 11 high swell Long at 8 20 P.M. by A
the sun.

Remarks On Board Ship Leon

Sunday 11th of November 1828

First part fresh breezes from SW & same
Cloudy Spoke Ship Eideon - Barto Rochester
J. W. Terry Commander 5 Months out
& whales Middle & later light breezes &
Mostly Cloudy got 1 whale & commenced
Cutting

Latitude 33° 17'

Monday 12

first & middle parts
light breezes & fair at 3 lowered struck
killed & took along side 1 whale that
started the works later cut him in
saw several whales sat Double reaps



Latitude 33° 18'

Longitude about 65° 30'

Tuesday 13

First part fresh breezes from NW & W
passing Clouds at 2 lowered struck killed
& took along side & cut in 1 small whale
Middle part fresh breezes later strong & same
rain saw one whale lowered did not strike

So Ends No observation

Wednesday 14

First part strong breezes & rainy from North
at 3 wind shifted to South Could do more at
5 started the works again Middle fresh
breezes & Cloudy saw 1 ship by light
to windward at 6 1/2 more ship to S & E
fresh breezes & passing Clouds all hands
employed in Hauling down & hauling saw
2 whales going past 1 ship in sight to windward

Latitude 33° 29'

Longitude by Estimation 65

Thursday 15

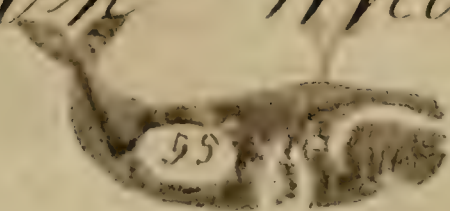
First part fresh breezes from South
at 4 lowered killed & took along side
1 whale Middle & later light breezes from
S to East All hands employed in Cutting
at 9 fine sh. sat hole 1 Sails Spoke
Ship John Newbedford Thatcher 5 Months
out J. R. W. 100 Spoken So Ends Standing
to South

Latitude 33 29'

Of Fairhaven On Whalebround

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Friday 16 of November 1858



First part light breezes from East Middle
rainy Coold down later fair All hands Employed
in Stownd down at 10 lowered struck 2 whales
sawed one at 2 30 past Meridian took him
along side one ship insight Latitude 33 40

Saturday

17 All these 24 hours light breezes from
North same fog first part Cut in
A whale later Stownd down saw one
whale going past Spake St. Messenger
Kewbedford 5 whales Latitude 33 39

Saw a ship take a whale along side at 3 P.M. 65 18

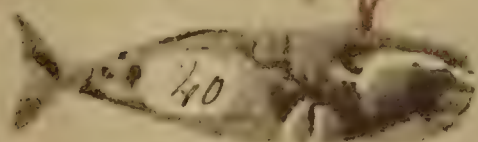
Sunday 18

All these 24 hours light breezes from
North & NW Middle & later same foggy
saw several whales at sunset layed in
boiling at 10 P.M. finesht all butter
on board saw one whale Latitude 33 29

Monday 19 part

first & middle parts light breezes from
NW same fog at 10 P.M. finesht boiling
later lively breezes from NW flying clouds
All hands Employed in Braiking out for A
Stowndown lowered struck & took A whale
along side So Ends Lat 33 54

Tuesday 20



First & middle parts strong breezes from
NW & clear first part Cut in A whale
& Stownd Down oil later wind high &
A high swell finesht Stowring down
saw several whales all on A moone
saw a ship whailing & boiling Latitude 33 28

Wednesday 21



from NW & heavy
First & middle part small swell saw A number
A whales all on A moone Chaisa without buoy later
lively breezes from NW picked up A whale & Cut
part saw A ship's boats in tow

On Board Ship Leonidas

Thursday 22 of November 1838

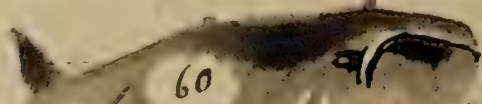
All these 24 hours fresh breezes from N.W. weather fine first part killed & took along side of whale later cut him in one ship in sight the took a whale first & middle sailing to ends same saw a number of whales called Latitude



Friday 23

First part lively breezes from N.W. clear at 2 lowered struck & parted short warps at 5:30 lowered struck a whirling Cow she run cut & slasht till dark & then cut middle & later strong breezes & hazy cloudy all hands employed in stowing down & sailing Latitude 34 1/4

Saturday 24



First part fresh breezes from N.W. & overcast lowered & got a whale took him along side took head & one lipp lark down port the night some rain later light breezes from West clear & pleasant finest & cutting lowered struck killed another one mile from the ship at 3:30 past meridian took him along side ship calm & a considerable swell on saw several whales



Sunday 25

First part light airs & calm from NW middle & later light breezes from North weather fine a high swell running from NW later all hands employed in cutting

Monday 26

First part light breezes from N.W. hazy all hands employed in stowing down & sailing middle & later strong breezes from N.W. & some rain & hazy

Of Furhaven on Whaleyground

Tuesday 27 of November 1838

First & Middle parts fresh gails from North
 weather cloudy later more moderate saw 2 whales
 going fast lowered with no success So Ends Employed
 in hauling & Stowing down Latitude 34 28

Wednesday 28

First part fresh gails from N.W. flying
 Clouds Middle hand gails & light rains at 12
 were ship to S.E. at 5 moderate wind shifted
 to W.W. saw 1 ship astern at 11 spoke said
 ship James Giddens Basti rochester 14 whales
 E. L. Cary Commander

Thursday 29

First part strong breezes from W.W.
 passing Clouds finished hauling & Stowing
 down checked at fore hatch want of gal
 supper & set boats crew watches headed to the
 west later fine breezes from E.S.E. & clear
 at 11 spoke ship John Overbedford 2 whales
 along side cutting So Ends saw nothing Latitude 34 28 S
 Long at 2 P.M. 66 28 W

Friday 30

All these 24 hours fine breezes from
 E.S.E. to E.W. fine weather saw 2 whales
 lowered without success Latitude 34 18

Saturday 1 Day of December Long at 3 P.M. 65 26

First part lively breezes from North weather
 fine part near to 1 ship & 1 Barque supposed
 the later to be George & Martha Overbedford
 hauling to ship of S.W. at sunset shortened
 sail at 11 left to the wind later made sail
 kept off South some fog & light rain
 saw one whale going fast Latitude 35 29
 Long at 2 P.M. 65 40

Sunday 2

First part lively breezes from N.W.
 & fine morning saw 2 whales going
 fast lowered & could not pass at 12 middle
 part wind shifted to South light breezes
 the remainder part saw nothing 2 ships
 sight to leeward Latitude 35 38
 Long at 2 P.M. 65 1

Ship Leonidas of Fairhaven

Monday 3 of December 1838

Lightest part light breezes from S.W. & E.
Clear & pleasant weather at high swell
from the spoke ships & the ship of Fairhaven
Treas. Commodore & 2. & 3. months out 15 whales
1 ship Neptune. Sag Harbor State 17 whales
this season 2100 in all & took another just
before sunset. Fairly soft & sail & stored
S.W. the night light breezes from East
to N.W. & sunrise foggy made all sail
stored S.W. fog cleared saw 3 ships ahead
& whaling at 10 one took 1 whale along
side. Fairly breezes from S.W. & E. fine

Tuesday 4

Latitude 36° 35'

Light part fine breezes from N.W. & W.
at 3 saw several whales lowered & could
not get to windward all got &
cut in 1 whale. Middle breezes later
fresh breezes & flying clouds saw one whale
going fast saw 2 ships take 1 whale

at 11 30 spoke ship Charles taking latitude

37° 08'

Wednesday 5

Light part strong breezes from N.W. & W.
& flying clouds at 11 midday looked at
the 1st & saw 15 number of whales lowered
struck & killed 1 whale & 1. struck 1 whale
killed the whale got stove & burst over last fire
the cut got 1 cut on the leg by a 1st boy
that was overboard & was then was some help
when the other boats came to their assistance
later foggy cut in the whale & started a fire

Thursday 6



Light & middle parts light breezes from
N.W. to North & thick fog later clearing
clear 3 ships in sight saw one whale
going fast to leeward one ship to windward
whaling at 10 with all sail at standing
saw 1 whale at 10 hours Latitude 36° 56'

Cruising for Whales Indian Ocean

Friday 7 of December 1838

First & Middle parts fresh breezes from
N.W. & Mastley foggy at 6 P.M. finest
bailing later strong breezes with rain & light
rain at 8 wore ship to the West all hands
employed in stowing down in after hold
Sat Double reefs (No) Observation

Saturday 8

Long at 4 P.M.

65° 27' E

First & Middle parts fresh gails from
N.W. & passing Clouds at 4 P.M. finest
stowing down & the Decks washed of later
strong gails & hard squalls Sat Double reefs at
10 took in T & Mizen T. Sails
reft T Course & Sat it Mind West at 8 wore
ship to N.W. Employed in repairing boat

Latitude

37° 35' S

Sunday 9

Long at 4 P.M. merid 65° 44'

All these 24 hours strong gails from
West with passing Clouds & some squalls
heading to S.W. under small sail C reef
M. T. sail. Main sails & reef T sail at 8 P.M.
wore ship to N.W. Employed in repairing

at boat & plenty birds & no whales Latitude 37° 48'

Monday 10

Long at 2 P.M. 65° 56'

All these 24 hours strong gails from
N.W. & some squalls attended with rain
heading to N.W. saw nothing but
birds

Latitude

37° 11'

Tuesday 11

Long at 2 P.M. 65° 41'

Can menore with strong gails from N.W.
& passing Clouds at 5. More moderate
at 8 P.M. took in T sail
later strong gails from West & some rain
Saw at plenty birds & some whale feed
at 10 Cleared Sat reef for sail heading to North
all these 24 hours

Latitude

36° 56'

Wednesday 12

Long at 4 P.M. merid 64° 52' by Chron 65° 58'

First part fresh gails from N.W. & flying
Clouds Middle & later fresh breezes from
& Mercants at 8 P.M. wore ship to N.W.
All sail set first part on board the gal
repaired & bent it again later employed in
sundry jobs

Latitude

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Ship Leonidas of Fairhaven

Thursday 13 of December 1851

First & Middle parts fresh breezes from
WNW to WNW flying clouds saw 3 whales
going fast to SW under Double reefs
at sunset last reef pulled in & mains
later fresh breezes & squally some rain
saw 1 ship supposed to be the Triad
at 11 saw & lowered for 1 whale going
fast to windward so ends under Double
reefs wind (W.S.W.)

Latitude $57^{\circ} 17'$

Friday 14

Long at 3 P.M.

$65^{\circ} 48'$

Commences with strong breezes from
WSW passing clouds at 2 P.M. wore ship
to WNW a rough sea later fine breezes
& clear all sail set at 11 spoke ship
Triad Capt went aboard

Latitude

Saturday 15

Long at 3 P.M.

$64^{\circ} 40'$

First part lively breeze from WSW
weather fine the spoke 1 French ship
saw 3 from Havre bound to Calcutta saw
several finbacks at sunset saw
2 whales called them right whales middle
light & overcast later small breezes from
South & calm an hour to sail & No 2
sail & bent our best in their places
standing hole watches bound to
S.W.W.

Latitude $36^{\circ} 22'$

Long at 4 P.M. $65^{\circ} 36'$

Sunday 16

Commences with Calms Middle light
breezes from WNW overcast later lively
& clear steering WSW all sail set
saw several finbacks

Latitude $37^{\circ} 11'$

Long at 2 P.M. $62^{\circ} 15'$

Monday 17

First part lively breezes from WNW
& passing clouds at 2³⁰ P.M. raised
1 boat of large sperm whales going
fast to see the ship tried to lward
got one we lowered chair about 3 hours
& could not come up with them Middle
fresh gale & cloudy rainy from 3 to 8 P.M. at
4 wind shifted to WSW ends fine breeze & pleasant

aboard employed in mending 1 No 1 sail

Latitude $38^{\circ} 35'$

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Cruising For Whale Indian

Tuesday 18 of December 1838

First & Middle parts lively breezes from W.S.W. & fine weather. Attending to South watch employed in repairing. Sails later. Light breeze & clear with a high swell. Saw a good many birds at 8 O'clock took ship to W.W. saw a ship of sea cow.

Latitude $39^{\circ}22'$

Wednesday 19

Long at 4 P.M. $62^{\circ}55'$

All these 24 hours light airs from W.S.W. to W.W. & Calms Employed in mending sails and bent M. & G. sail.

Thursday 20

Latitude $39^{\circ}31'$

Commences with Calms Middle light breezes from North overcast later lively & clear and bent Mizen & repaired and bent J. sail & bent the old one Course W.S.W. saw a Barque steering E.S.E. saw nothing.

Latitude $40^{\circ}14'$

Friday 21

Long at 2 P.M. $62^{\circ}05'$

First part lively breezes from North & fine weather. Middle strong & cloudy from 4 to 8 fresh gails & hard rains. Last reef at 8:30 wind shifted to W.S.W. Ends with breezes & passing clouds under Double reefs & Courses.

Latitude $42^{\circ}09'$

Long at 2 P.M. $60^{\circ}39'$

Saturday 22

Commences with fresh breezes & fair middle light at 2 wind halled to N.W. & light at 7 North & strong took in M. & G. sail & Double reef at 9 took in M. sail & C reef at 10 blowing heavy & squalls of rain took in sail turned up sea boats at 11 wind halled to N.W.

Latitude $43^{\circ}09'$

Long at 2 P.M. $60^{\circ}30'$

Sunday 23

By Lunar

$60^{\circ}44'30''$

Commences with strong abating gails from N.W. & fair at 3 set C. reef. J. sails at 6 quite moderate saw a small whale lowered & could not faze middle light breezes from N. to W. later lively from South & steering West. No observation.

Ship Leonidas Indian Ocean

Monday 24 of December 1838

First part fresh breezes from ~~W~~ ~~SW~~ rain
S. Tacks aboard midd. fresh gails ~~W~~ ~~SW~~ passing
Clouds under C reefs at 4 with wind ~~W~~
wore ship at 6 had a heavy squall attended
with rain & flood watch employed in Sunday
gals stowed 2 water to hole between decks

Tuesday 25

Latitude 43 53

First part fresh gails from ~~W~~ ~~SW~~
& passing Clouds killed a hog the last
on board at 7 wore ship to ~~W~~ ~~SW~~ under
short sail later more moderate
set Double reefs Wind ~~SW~~

Latitude 43 56

Long at 4 P.M. 61° 50'

Wednesday 26

By Lunar 61° 51'

First & middle parts fresh breezes from
~~SW~~ to ~~W~~ passing Clouds & overcast
later fresh breezes & Clouds ~~W~~ ~~SW~~ finish
Cleaning lane under Double reefs at
9 P.M. wore ship to ~~SW~~ ~~SW~~

Thursday 27

No Observation

First part fresh gails from West & light
rains under C reefs heading to ~~SW~~ Middle
light & Clouds all sail set ~~SW~~ to ~~SW~~ aboard
Ends small breezes from South. some fog
at plenty gannets around No Observation

Friday 28

Commences with small breezes from
S.E. & wet fog stirring ~~W~~ ~~SW~~ at 4 light
from S.E. at 8 lively from ~~W~~ ~~SW~~ no fog
but Clouds all sail set Middle str
ong from ~~W~~ ~~SW~~ Double reef at 5 P.M.
fresh gails & light rains last reef stowed
yills Ends with increasing gails & rain
under C reefs & Courses heading ~~W~~ ~~SW~~
S. Tacks aboard, latitude at 10 P.M. by Double alt. 44°

Saturday 29

Commences with fresh gails & heavy squalls
of rain at 3 took in M sail at 6 Wind shifted
to ~~W~~ ~~SW~~ at 7 wore ship strong breezes & hard fl
during the night under C reefs at Daylight more moderate
took in Sails set gill No sail at 8 the wind Latitude 44°
Long 61° 51' increasing took in sail & have two Long

Round Towards the Croset Islands

Sunday 30th December 1838

First & middle parts strong gails from West to WNW & passing Clouds standing to North under C reef M. T. sail & reef F. Course Stairsail & Mizen at 6 A.M. wind WNW by Cumprass strong gails & hard squalls attended with rain wore ship took in F. sail Sat. M. Stairsail turned up the waist Boate the gail increasing at 8 turned up the lee quarter Boate at 11 hard gails & harder squalls took in M. T. sail & F. T. M. Stairsail now leighing to under Mast Mizen & M. Stairsail she lays nary well No Observations

Monday 31

First part heavy gails from WNW & spiteful squalls with rain & high sea running at 3 A.M. M. Stairsail Sat. M. Stairsail hulled it down & repaired it at 4 P.M. wind shifted to WNW turned up S. Boate & wore ship at 5 Sat. M. Stairsail the gail moderates but thick & rainy at 7 Sat. C. reef M. T. sail at 11 wore ship & Sat. reef fore Course quite moderate wind WNW & rainy disagreeable weather heading N. N. E. Ends with strong gails from West with frequent squalls of rain & hail this day we find by Observations Lat by Merid alt $43^{\circ}40'$ that we have made it Discouraging by Double Alt $43^{\circ}41'$ Progress towards the Crosetts Long at 2³⁰ P.M. $64^{\circ}15'$

Tuesday 1st Day of January 1838

All these 24 hours strong gails from west & hard squalls attended with rain & hail leighing to at 6 A.M. P.M. took in F. sail at 6 A.M. Sat. it again heading to the N.W. all these 24 hours under C reef M. T. sail Stairsails Mizen & reef F. Course great plenty of Birds around Latitude $44^{\circ}26'$ Long at 3 P.M. $67^{\circ}43'$

Ship Scrimas of Fairhaven

Wednesday 2 of January 1889

First part strong gails from West & passing
clouds. Middle part more moderate wind
(S.W. & E. & S. & E. to the North later strong
breezes from North & cloudy at 6 reef
T. sails & courses heading W. N. W. & N. E.
Old M. sail & bent it new one saw
pinbacks & No Observation these 2 hrs

Thursday 3

First part fresh gails from North &
cloudy middle part strong gails & rain
took in sail later wind light thick heavy fog
at high swell from N. W. saw several small
bunches of small kelp heading to the W. N. W.
all these 24 hours No Observation

Friday 4

First part fresh breezes from North & thick
fog under C reefs heading W. N. W. at 6 took in
T. & M. T. sails middle part wind N. W.
& no fog but squally & some rain at 5 set
C reef T. sails at 7³⁰ bore up & run
S. W. strong gails from North & squalls of hail
at high sea running

Latitued at 9³⁰ 46° 20'

Latitude at 12 Meridian 46° 39'

Long at 10 A. M. 64° 30'

Saturday 5

First part fresh gails from North & heavy
squalls of hail & rain steering S. W. at 3³⁰
took in T. T. sail & farsail & hove to heading
to the westward at 7 took at heavy squall
baked the staisail & gooswingd the M. T. sail
During the night heavy gails & heavier squalls
attended with hail & rain later more moderate
at high sea running at 7 A. M. wore ship
& set halld home S. M. T. sheete

Latitude 46° 48'

Sunday 6

Long at 2 P. M. 65° 38'

First part light breezes from N. W.
& hazy middle fine breeze from North
cloudy under double reefs steering N. E. & E.
at 9 A. M. strong gails & rainy took in
sail & hove to saw several pinbacks
ends with fog No Observation

Monday 7 of January 1839

Commenced with strong North winds with rain
at 4 P.M. wind shifted to NW
small breezes fog cleared but I did not
cut out M. S. sail kept of St. saw finbacks
light breezes & fine During the night at
4 A.M. halled up South side all
at 8 inside 2 wright whales lowered & took
one along side at 11 strong breeze clear
& rugged saw several more

Long at 7 A.M. by Chron. 19 10
by lunar 69 23

Tuesday 8

First part strong breezes from NW
& clear weather rough sea All hands employed
in cutting at 3 so finest Sat Double reef
middle part more moderate weather fine
wind N.W. shifting to the East at 6 A.M.
were ship to the NW strong breeze from N.E.
& cloudy ends with fresh gails & mostly
cloudy boiling at 6 P.M. commenced Lat. 44 38

Wednesday 9

First part strong gails from N.E.
& rainy weather at 2 took in M. sail
at 4 Calde down at 7 P.M. wind shifted
to NW were ship to NW Middle strong
gails & cloudy later wind W by N & passing
clouds to rough to boil the thermometer
stands on 39° rather cool Latitude 47 17
at 2 P.M. saw a R whale Long at 2 P.M. 68 38

Thursday 10

First part strong gails from NW
at 4 more moderate but I sail started the
works at 11 were ship at 2 A.M. finest Boiling
Moderate fog & light rain later employed
in blowing down at 11 were ship to N.E.
strong gails & rainy field I sail No observation

Friday 11

First & middle parts strong gails from North
& rainy weather at 3 finest blowing down
each one 2 Casks of oil one on the Stubb's rodder
whenever the ship shook & back over the St. Commence
at dawn below on the first riders the other fatall
away whilst Capering ended overboard the Commence
at dawn below on the first riders the other fatall

Albany

January 1839

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First & Middle parts light winds from North with light rain at 2 P.M. lowered kille took along side & cut in small whale & poor Ends with strong gails from E.N.E. rainy took in sail & have to allt heading to the North Lat at 10 P.M. By Double, 47° 29' Long at 2 P.M. 69° 29'

(Gails Gails after Gails Storms
After Storms & fog & plenty

Sunday 13 to the N.E. of Greenland or Longlands
Land these 24 hours Commences with strong gails from E.N.E. & rainy heighing to at 4 P.M. wind shifted to N.W. & clear wore ship to N.E. hard gails & rough sea Middle more moderate wind halling to N.E. at 1 P.M. wore ship at 4 wind light from E.N.E. set single reef I Sails at 5:30^m raised a whale blowing on quick & commenced raining at 7 strong gail & rainy took in sail have to at 10 heavy gails from N.W. & clear wore ship to N.E. heighing to the Ends Latitude 47° 16' 30" Long at 2 P.M. 69° 34'

Monday 14



2 P.M. Commences with strong gails from N.W. & clear at 4 moderate lowered struck kille & took along side a large whale Middle light breezes from E.N.E. & cloudy at 3 P.M. commenced raining & strong breezes at 4 fair but rough commenced cutting finde it very bad Ends with calm & bad sea on for our the work

Tuesday 15

2 P.M. Commences with light airs from North & hazy weather at 4 finest cutting after parting at fall raising the Devill & breaking things at 5 strong breezes from West & cloudy cleared the decks wore ship at 6 blowing very heavy thick & rainy took in No. 7 sail now heighing to under main fore & m. Masts during the night at 7 P.M. more moderate turned up the boats set C reef No. 7 sail & foresail kept off & steered N.E. our provisions getting rather short & its about time to make it start from this cold region towards the Cape of Good hope Latitude 48° 21' Long at 9 P.M.

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Cruising of the Isle of Desolation

Wednesday 16 of January 1857

first part fresh gails from NW & passing
Clouds set C. up to 5 sail steering NW
Breeze for the Cape of good hope at 4 set
Double reef middle light and from NW
later strong breeze from NW & clear S. I.
about boiling at 11 30 Double reef

Thursday 17

Latitude 45

All these 24 hours strong gails from NW
with a late thick fog at 3 P.M. were ship to
L.A. at 5 P.M. Boiling all these 24 hours

Friday 18

No Observation

All these 24 hours fresh gails from NW with
fog standing to the L.A. watch employed in
Boiling at 9 P.M. firelight cleared up &
went off so ends No Observation

Saturday 19

All these 24 hours fresh breezes from
NW to NW E first part watch employed
in clearing out between decks for stowing down
later all hands employed in stowing down
thick & heavy rain at 3 P.M. were ship to NW
under Courses at 12 blowing strong & heavy rain
took in sail at 4 firelight all hand wet
& Dirty as the Devil No Observation

Sunday 20

First & middle parts fresh gails & small
breezes from NW with rain & fog later
fresh breezes from West passing Clouds
steering N. all sail set at high well from
North & at plenty birds

Latitude 43° 58' S

Long at 3 P.M. time 74-19

By Lunar

74-19 E

Sunday 21

Commenced with strong breezes from NW
at 1 P.M. took a heavy squall Cloud down
& halde up every thing lost except 3 Sails
set Courses after the squall was over at
5 reef Courses strong gails during the night
& constant squalls attended with hail & rain
at 5 P.M. hard gails & harder squalls took
in 3 Sails & sails hild in sail so ends
with a very rough sea on ship leaking from
hundred to 2000 strokes

Latitude 42° 15' S

Remarks On Board Ship Leonida

Tuesday 22 of January 1839

Commences with strong gails & hard squalls from W.W.W. heading to the North under E reef. M. T. sail & reef foresail at 6 wind W by S squared in kept of W.W.W. middle more moderate. Sat 7 sail stowed out reef foresail later moderate all sail set wind W.W. & overcast. watch employed in scraping bone. Condemned M. Stairsail & cut it up. A good number of birds still accompany us. Latitude $41^{\circ}13'43''$

Wednesday 23

Commences with fresh breezes from W.W.W. & cloudy middle & later fresh gails & mostly cloudy under E reefs & reef courses. Watch employed in ship's duty. Latitude $40^{\circ}03'$

Thursday 24

Commences with fresh gails from W.W.W. & fair middle & later light breezes & cloudy. All sail set to best advantage. Ends with light rain. watch employed in sundry gals of ship's duty. Saw nothing. No observation.

Friday 25

All these 24 hours light baffling breezes from W.W. to W.S.W. & calms. Cloudy first part rain. Course North later saw Chinbacks. Watch employed in scraping ship & making other preparations for washing. No observation.

Saturday 26

Long at 4 P.M. $73^{\circ}47'$

Commences with calm at 4 P.M. A light breeze springing up from East squared the yards & steered W.W. Cloudy middle lively breezes & light rain all sail set going at the rate 6 miles per hour later strong breezes from W by E thick fog. Larboard watch employed in washing ship. No observation.

Sunday 27

Commences with fresh breezes from W by E. Long at 3 P.M. thick fog. watch employed in washing ship at 4 Decks clean & clear rigging spars planks & last night now she looks quite tidy in side at 5 Double reefed at 6 took in gill. C. reefed T. & M. D. sails at 10 under C reef. M. sail blowing hard & heavy rain Ends with light breeze under Double reefs. Latitude N by E

From Desolation Towards Cape Good Hope

Monday 28

L.M. Commences with strong breezes from SSW with rain under Double reefs & Courses steering N.W. At bad head sea ship leaking about 300 strokes per hour Middle lively breezes weather fine Ends with small breezes Clear & pleasant thermometer stands on 64° the finest weather that we have had this six weeks past watch employed in ships Duty on bent & Candemund P.T. sail & bent Another shifted rigging end for end Latitude $37^{\circ} 13'$

Tuesday 29

Longitude at 4 - $71^{\circ} 25'$

Commences with Calm at 3 small breeze from W.S.W. All sail set & trimmed by the wind to the best advantage Middle strong breezes from W.W. passing Clouds later some squally under Double & single reefs at 10 wind killed to rest. So Ends watch employed in ships Duty making bone yarn &c Latitude $35^{\circ} 45'$

Wednesday 30

First part fresh breezes from W.S.W. cloudy under single reefs Middle lively from S.W. to SSW overcasts all sail set later light breezes & fine Course W.S.W. watch employed in sundry jobs of ships Duty saw nothing 2 mast heads manded

Thursday 31

Latitude $34^{\circ} 25'$

All these 24 hours light breezes from W.S.W. to S.W. weather ^{fine} mostly overcasts watch employed in ships Duty sent up P.M. T.G. yards & bent the sails Course W.S.W.

Latitude $33^{\circ} 29'$

Friday 1 of February

Long at 3 P.M. $69^{\circ} 22'$

All these 24 hours small breezes from S.W. to W.W. & fine weather sent out T. Gill. Boom & bent & set the sail all sail set to the best advantage 3 P.T.G. sails set & nothing higher watch employed in ships duty Latitude $32^{\circ} 58'$

Saturday 2

Long at 3 P.M. $69^{\circ} 01'$

All these 24 hours small breezes from W.W. fine weather All sail set to the best advantage Employed in sundry jobs about the rigging at 11^h 30^m A.M. saw whales breach to leeward kept off for them Lat 31° saw more

On Board Ship Leonidas

Sunday 3 of February 1839

Commences with fine breezes from W.S.W. & a light shower of rain at 3 wind shifted to S.E. & at 4 start breeze squared the yards now she starts lively again over the blue water towards the E. Cape at 4 hoisted two small pikes of bread on deck & all that we have in the ship & divided it equally amongst the ships company 23 in number which give each share two large buckets each & hugs without number the remainder of these 24 hours strong breezes from S.E. & S.E. passing clouds no windingsails set Course W.W. Latitude 18° westerly

Latitude By Obs 30° 41'

By Double Alt Do

Monday 4

Long at 2 P.M. 66° 47'

All these 24 hours strong winds from S.E. to E.S.E. mostly cloudy later watch employed in setting up Mizen rigging & other necessary jobs Course W.W.

Latitude 29 = 45

Tuesday 5

Long at 4 P.M. 64 = 15

First & middle part strong breezes from E.S.E. cloudy at 3 P.M. wind halled to W.E. with light rain at 6 halled back wind light the remainder part of these 24 hours watch employed in ships duty Course W.W.

Latitude 28° 55'

Wednesday 6

Long at 4 P.M. 62° 24'

First part light breezes from E.S.E. middle lively later moderate & mostly cloudy Course W.W. to Ends watch employed in fitting ship rattled Miz & T. Rig

Latitude 27 59

Thursday 7

All these 24 hours lively breezes from S.E. to East weather fine smoky & overcast watch employed in turning a t & in main rigging &c

Latitude 26° 51'

Friday 8

Most part of these 24 hours light breezes from E.S.E. to W.E. weather fine watch employed in ships duty of fitting ship Course W.W. till 8 P.M. & remainder part W.W.W.

Latitude

From Whaleground Towards Cape Good Hope

Saturday 9

All these 24 hours light breezes from ESE to NE warm & pleasant weather Sat F. T. Mast Steering sail first part watch Employed in fitting ship rattling & taring later Commenced Scraping out side this Day got 4 number of Lunar observations which give the ship $1^{\circ} 26'$ to $1^{\circ} 30'$ to westward of Chronometer Latitude

Long at 10 P.M. By Chro $55^{\circ} 41'$
By Lunar — — $54^{\circ} 14'$

Sunday 10

All these 24 hours light breezes from ESE to NE clear & warm weather first part Employed in Scraping out side of the ship so ends Course WNW got 4 number of lunars agreeable about the same as the day before with the Chronometer.

Latitude $26^{\circ} 42'$

Monday 11

By Lunar. Long at 2 P.M. $52^{\circ} 50'$

Commences with fine breezes from NE clear & pleasant weather Middle Strong breeze later lively from North & Beautiful weather All sail set to best advantage Course WNW Watch Employed in ships duty on the later part of these 24 hours

Latitude $26^{\circ} 38'$

Tuesday 12

Long at 2 P.M. $50^{\circ} 28'$

All these 24 hours fine breezes from North weather fine Watch Employed in fitting ship Saw nothing Course WNW

Latitude

Wednesday 13

Long at

first part lively breezes from N.E. Middle small breezes from East at 4 P.M. Shake Barque Reaper Salem Keel 400 sperm whale Oil 18 months out has been Cruising about here two months got 280 blbs got same tobacco from said ship which came very acceptable we not having any in the ship for some Days Course NW the remainder part of these 24 hours at 10 raised sperm whales at 11 lowered 2 boats so ends Chasing whales going quite fast Saw Barke Reaper whaling

Latitude $25^{\circ} 42'$
Long at 2 P.M. $49^{\circ} 09'$

Off S & E of Madagascar
On Board Ship Leonidas Fairhar

Thursday 14 of February 1839

All these 24 hours fresh breezes from E to East pleasant weather At 1st 30^m L. M. struck A sixty bl whale killed & turned up struck another killed with all the harpoons & landed took line & cleared struck another & landed took line killed & saved took along side at 4 P.M. & lost the other later Cut him inn

Latitude 25° 21'

Long at 5 P.M. 48° 39'

Friday 15

All these 24 hours fine breezes from East & pleasant watch employed in bailing stood to South first part later to North in hopes to find the other whale saw it ship & the Barque reaper bailing find it at 8 P.M. current

Latitude 25° 05'

Long at 2 P.M. 48° 56'

Saturday 16

All the

All these 24 hours fresh breezes from E & passing Clouds at 2 P.M. kept off & steered W under E. Sails & for sail at 6th 30^m At 10th saw several whales lowered struck killed & took along side A whale after breakfast Cut him inn so ends

Sunday 17

Monday 18

First & middle parts strong breezes from E & passing Clouds at 2 P.M. finest cutting saw A number of whales scattered about lowered at 5 struck killed & took along side later all hands employed in cutting weather squally & heavy showers & some rough cut to leeward at 9 At 10 saw land of St. Paul Madagascar Lat

25° 53'

Long at 3 P.M.

47° 15'

Monday 18

All these 24 hours strong breezes from E passing Clouds at 3 gaut junk & ease on deck kept off West cleared away & washt off at 7 started the works started W. S. under short sail through the night in the morning Sat. Double reefs & started W or W wind Lat

26° 45'

Long at 3 P.M.

From Walground towards Capetown.

Tuesday 19 of February 1839

All these 24 hours lively breezes from SE to East pleasant weather later part Coopered & Stowed Down 45 bbls of Oil Down Main hatchway Course West

Latitude $27^{\circ} 35' S$

Long at 5 P.M. $43^{\circ} 13'$

Wednesday 20

By Lunar $42^{\circ} 44'$

All these 24 hours fine breezes from SE to East weather fine watch employed in bailing at 8 A.M. linesht Cleared & washed Decks at 11 A.M. Gails & Mast Steering sail Course West saw nothing wind light

Latitude $38^{\circ} 32'$

Thursday 21

First part light breezes from SE later watch employed in bundling same. Middle lively breezes from ESE later light from East All hands employed in stowing Down Coopered & Stowed Down 65 bbls in the after hatch

Latitude $29^{\circ} 01'$

Friday 22

Long at 4.30. $39^{\circ} 19'$

First & Middle parts light breezes from East to ESE weather fine later fresh breezes from W by S watch employed in fitting ship Course West Variation 27° westerly

Latitude $29^{\circ} 56' S$

Saturday 23

Long at 5 P.M. $37^{\circ} 26' E$

First part fresh breezes Middle strong later fresh gails passing clouds wind from W by E to W by N at 10 took in J.G. Sails watch employed in rattling M & Mast rigging taring same & lower rigging Course West

Latitude $31^{\circ} 26'$

Sunday 24

Long at 3 P.M. $35^{\circ} 26'$

Commenced with fresh gails from W by E passing clouds at 4 light from W by S at 5 wind aft at 8 lightning in the west clouds move from that quarter at 9 distant thunder double reef T & Mast reef down T sails fild M sail & gill at 10 heavy thunder Long $35^{\circ} 4'$ sharp lightning Mast reef T sail closed up T & M & fild up sail to the cloud burst upon us with whistling wind from SE with heavy rain accompanied with heavy thunder & chain lightning Lat 31° at 10 double reef fild with strong breezes South

On Board Ship Leonidas

Monday 25 of February 1839

Commences with strong breezes from South middle light from ESE later fresh from East passing Clouds saw grampases watch employed in Ships duty all sail set Course West

Latitude 32° 22'

Tuesday 26

Long at 2 P.M. 31° 24'

First part fresh breezes from ESE middle light ends with light breeze from North with rain & thunder Course West No Observation watch employed in Ships duty Cooper sitting up shakes

Wednesday 27

First part light breezes from South early middle fresh breezes from SE light rain later strong from E to ESE & heavy rain at 11³⁰ broke away some saw the Sun under double reefs Course WSW

Latitude 34° 33'

Thursday 28

No longitude.

First part fresh gails from ESE & heavy rain under double reefs middle clear & fine all sail set wind ESE later light from WSW saw a ship at our lee bore on same tack suposed to be a whaler Course WSW

Latitude 36° 13'

Friday 1 of March

Long at 7 A.M.

28° 30'

Commences with fresh breezes from West at 2 squally & rain Double reefed at 5 fresh gails last reefed field yell & mainsail at 9 wore ship to WSW middle more moderate later small from SW all sail set Course WSW watch employed in Ships duty

Latitude 36° 40'

Saturday 2

Long at 2 P.M. 28° 14'

First part light breezes from the Eastward middle flauy & unsteady showery wind from South to ESE these 24 hours ends with lively breezes from ESE & fair saw grampases Course WSW watch employed in Ships duty

Latitude 37° 00'

Long at 9 A.M. 27° 00'

From Whiteground Towards Cape York

Sunday 3 of March 1857

First & Middle parts Strong breezes from East to W. flying Clouds Course N.W. by W. & W. by N at 5 P.M. wind North Ends with strong gails from W. by N. flying Clouds lightning to an American whale Barque past abreast our forefoot about 1/2 mile distance steering S.E. to Ends at 11 wore ship to North Latitude $36^{\circ}46'$

Monday 4 Long at 8 P.M. $24^{\circ}24'E$

All these 24 hours Strong gails from W. by N. & hard squalls attended with rain lightning to at 9 P.M. wore ship to W. by N. at heavy sea on boats turned up

Latitude $37^{\circ}22'$

Tuesday 5 Long at 7 P.M. $24^{\circ}10'$

first part strong gails from West & squally Middle Moderate from W. by N. at 8 wore ship at 10 set Double reefs at 12 turned out all reefs at 1 P.M. g. sails Ends with Calm.

Latitude $37^{\circ}13'$

Wednesday 6 Long at 8 P.M. $28^{\circ}55'$

All these 24 Calms & light breezes from W. by N. to W. by N. weather fine & at half sea it has the appearance of a strong westerly current this is dangerous to have head winds & Calms in our situation provisions short beef we have enough some of the men have been out of bread several days we have about 1/4 quarter of 1 lb of flour & that is all of the provision that we have on board no sweetening no tea or coffee but a few days of fair wind will relieve us from this scarcity so Ends watch employed in ships

Duty Latitude $37^{\circ}09'$

Long at 8 P.M. by Chron $22^{\circ}59'E$
By Lunar — $22^{\circ}55'$

Thursday 7

First part Calm Middle small breezes from E. by S fine later fine breeze from E. by S. Course W. by N. all sail set watch employed in bundling Bane we have a considerable strong current to the

W. by N. Latitude $36^{\circ}34'$

Long at 5 P.M. $20^{\circ}54'$

These Records of Fairhaven

Friday 8 of March 1854

Remained here part of the 24 hours. Windy
 weather from N. passing a squall. Middle of
 the night a cloudy with some rain. Later
 in the morning cleared till 6 P.M. then built
 up with all sail set

Saturday 9

Remained here from part flying
 a squall at 2 P.M. made the Land Cape (Hagley)
 bearing N.W. by N. of 1/2 N. at 3 P.M. made Cape
 Good Hope on the right hand bearing N.E. by E. altered
 North and in made the land then hauled
 up anchor at 4 P.M. at 9 P.M. hauled from
 anchor. Drifted south of 1 on all night

Later on 2 P.M. at 11 saw the Cape To Ends Cape 34° 24'
 strong breeze & some squalls. Latitude by the 34° 40'
 chronometer 34° 40' to the Cape To Ends Cape 34° 40'
 by good observation (To 1/2 S 1/2 E) 35°

Sunday 10

First part strong breeze from N.W. passing
 Charles at 3 P.M. hauled ship Cape bearing
 N.W. by N. distance 9 miles. By estimation at
 5 P.M. hauled again at 6:30 hauled off
 Cape bearing North East 6 miles. Later at 8 P.M.
 at 10 P.M. 5 miles saw the ship came out of
 Simon's Bay part to windward working to
 the westward at 5 P.M. the ship to windward
 running down before the wind at sunset
 shortened sail headed of shore the remainder
 part of the 24 hours winds from N.W. to N.E.
 with a number of heavy squalls attended with
 heavy rain at 11 P.M. Christian table mountain
 bore N.W. by N. Dist 12 miles by estimation

Monday 11

Remained with 1st heavy squall from
 N.W. & heavy rain at 2 P.M. strong breeze from
 N.W. a fair wind the ship shortened sail
 when alone bearing N.W. at 4 P.M. altered more
 ship headed of shore built a chain. Middle
 of the night from Simon's Bay from N.W. & fair
 working to windward. But from shore at
 4 P.M. a stormer part no land in the
 sight. Bay but no part visible, we came

Leighing at Anchor on Table Bay

Tuesday 12 of March 1839

First part light breeze from NE
at 4 calm middle small breeze from
SE to SSE weather fine logging
at anchor back at 3 O'Clock made all
sail kept up for the light at 4³⁰
fresh breeze from SE took in 3 of
sails at 9 came to anchor in Table
Bay with our best bower anchor
which made every phase cheer with it
while after being at sea nearly 2 months
months living on salt junk & bread
our bread is scarce about 1 lb on board
and the harbor master boards us & gives
us orders to hoist our ensign at the main
to give free admittance for any boat to
come along side or to have field sails
sent down 1/2 yard now it has boards
with fresh beef potatoes & onions & the crew
boats they draw along side with grapes
pears apples sugar & various other articles we
fill ourselves with fruit & make good
sugar & after all we eat a hearty dinner of
beef & make potatoes fried onions & salt beef
to ends these 24 hours all full below &
14 sugar in the hatchway well on fire
again our Captains has been afflicted every
year for 12 days past with the rheumatism
the last of these 24 hours strong SSE
gails & flying clouds table mountain
covered with clouds at 4 P M let go the
second anchor & paid out to the later end
of the best bower & clincht the end to the
Mainmast to ends

Wednesday 13

all this day strong gails from SSE & clear
Starboard watch at shore on liberty

Thursday 14

First part strong gails from
SE & clear middle part moderate
later light & calm Starboard watch
at shore on liberty took in 14 lbs of
sugar

Ship *Leornicus* of Fairhaven
Friday 15th of March 1839 Fairhaven

First part light breezes from SSE
middle light & variable later later hard
gale & squalls from South let 9 second
anchor Starboard watch shore on liberty

Saturday 16 blacked L. heads

First & middle parts strong gale
from South later moderate Starboard
watch on liberty

Sunday 17

First part moderate middle & later
strong gale from South & fair
Starboard watch on liberty

Monday 18 6 wounded

All this day light air all round the
Campass & Calms Starboard watch on
liberty Starboard employed in Ships
Duty scraped & blacked Starboard
heads painted Starboard side up to
the rail secured the head which was
loose stowed down 90 bbls of water
took on board 4 loads of stores 28 sacks
of bread potatoes Onions & sundry
other Articles &c. &c.

Tuesday 19

This Day wind all round the Campass
later rain S. Watch on liberty

Wednesday 20

All this day wind variable later strong
flaws from South & rainy L. watch shore
on liberty no Duty done on the account of
the rain

Thursday 21

Commences with strong breezes & rain
middle light fresh & fair later light
& pleasant all hands on board employed
in Ships duty finished painting fitted &
painted D. G. yards & sundry other gals

Lighting at Anchor in Capetown

Cape Town

Friday 22 of March 1839

- 1 All this day light & variable
2 winds & calms later fresh from South &
3 pleasant Employed in Landry jobs of
4 ships duty

Saturday 23

- 5 All this day light & variable
6 winds clear & pleasant weather
7 Employed in ships duty went up
8 to the yard bent sail went on
9 board of St English Emigrant ship
10 from Liverpool for Sydney New South
11 Wales 250 passengers

Sunday 24th

- 12 All first part calm middle
13 fresh S.E. winds & fine later calm
14 to ends wind account & this day
15 including 12 hours

Monday 25th

- 16 P.M. Commences with light airs from
17 North at 1.00 fine breeze from S.E. waile
18 Anchor & bid farewell to Capetown & all its
19 varieties in Company with ship Louisa
20 of Lynn Barque Tharwest of Bridgeport both
21 whalers former 1100 bbls later 1000 bbls for the
22 Indian Ocean left Cicero to sail tomorrow
23 500 bbls bound on at cruise at 5 P.M.
24 Roben Island S.E. Dist 3 miles with at
25 light breeze from that quarter middle
26 small breeze & thick fog later fresh
27 breezes from South overcasts M.T.G. sail
28 & S.T.M. Studingsail set Course N.W.

Latitude $33^{\circ} 24'$

Tuesday 26th

Long at 2 P.M. $17^{\circ} 11'$

- 29 All these 24 hours fresh breezes from
30 South weather fine Course N.W. watch
31 Employed in ships duty Latitude $32^{\circ} 25'$

Wednesday 27th

Long at 2 P.M. $14^{\circ} 17'$

- 32 All this day strong breezes from South
33 to the first 2 clear middle & later overcasts
34 S.T.M. Studingsail & M.T.G. sail set
35 Course N.W. watch Employed in ships duty
Latitude about $31^{\circ} 30'$

Ship Leonidas from Capetown

Thursday 28 of March 1839

All these 24 hours strong breezes from
SSE to SE & mostly Overcast match.
Employed in Ships duty Course NW

Latitude 30° 40'

Friday 29

Long at 2 P.M.

8° 26'

All these 24 hours strong breezes from
SE to ESE & mostly Overcast not match
Duty Carried on On a good lookout for whales
Course NW Saw nothing

Latitude 29° 56'

Saturday 30

Long at 4 30 P.M.

5° 50'

First part lively breezes from ESE
& Overcast later light Course NW
Saw nothing with three men at mast head

Latitude 38 40

Sunday 31

Long at 3 P.M.

All these 24 hours light breezes from
SSE to ESE & mostly Cloudy first
part sent up Main & Mizzen Royal masts
Course steered NW

Latitude 27° 5'

Monday 1 of April

Long at 2 P.M. 3° 32'

First part light breezes from SSE middle
& later lively breezes & squally looking clouds
later saw some kind of whale breach halld up
for it but saw no more of it kept on
Course NW Broke out & Coopered about
ninety bbls of whale oil from between decks
& it had leaked about 2 bbls to ends

Latitude 26° 56'

Tuesday 2

Long at 3 P.M.

2° 6'

First part light middle & later lively
breezes from SSE to ESE & some squalls
Course NW watch Employed in Ships
Duty first part set up M. F. Main rigging
Backstays T. G. & royal rigging

Latitude 25° 3'

Wednesday 3

Long at 2 P.M. 3°

First & middle parts lively breezes
from SSE to ESE & some squally
later light & pleasant weather saw
nothing watch Employed in Ships
Duty Course NW at 6 A.M. halld up
Mast sent up T. G. yard & Royal mast

Latitude 24°

Long at 2 P.M. 4° 4'

Towards New Bedford H. V. Stuart

Thursday 4 of March April 1839

First part light breeze from SE clear
middle & later fine breezes & squalls at
intervals through the night but not heavy
Saw nothing Course North Latitude

22-32'

Friday 5

Long 11 2 P.M.

1-37'

Commences with light breezes & fair
middle & later fresh traids & some

squally Course N by E saw nothing Lat 20° 20'

Saturday 6

Long at 2 P.M. 2° 14'

All these 24 hours strong traides
& some squally Course N by E at 6

P.M. raised sperm whales lowered
struck killed & took along side one
whale & ship on another at 10 took
the whale along side Latitude 18° 40'

Sunday 7

Long about — 2-45'

First & middle parts strong traides
& some squally with light rain at
1 commenced cutting out in the
body laid by the head all night
later cut in Lat. Double reefs & steered
North at 11^h 30^m spoke ship stranger
Glasgow

Latitude 18-05'

Long at 2 P.M. 3 4'

By Lunar 3° 34'

Monday 8

All these 24 hours fine traids
& pleasant steering North at 12 meridian
fine shot bailing turned up forty bbls

Latitude 17° 36'

Tuesday 9

Long at 2 P.M. 4-00

All these 24 hours fine traides
& fair at 12 middle part halled
up foresail kept to the wind with
G. & A. sail to the mast heading to the
south at Daylight kept on N.W. & W.
& at 11 M. G. sail three ships in sight
afternoon 2 proved to be merchantmen
& other a whaler some squally at 10 saw
the Isle of St. Helena & Point bearing N.W. 3/4 W

Dist 35 miles by Estimation Latitude 16° 00'

Long at 11^h 30^m by Chron 4-51'

By Lunar —

Remarks On Board Ship Leonidas

Wednesday 10 of April 1839

Commences with light traids & passing claudes
at 3 spoke ship Delfas Halmaeshale Berry
Commander 19 months out 2500 hbls from
Newholand Bound in to the Island
at 4 h 30 m North head of the Isl of St Helena
from SSW Dist 4 miles from which I
take a fresh departure steered WNW
saw the ships leighing in the roads &
saw 4 ships leave all steered to the WNW
sent up m T. G. yard & sail & bent H. T. G. sail
middle & later more by breezes & some light
squalls attended with light rain at Daylight
Set H. & M. T. G. sails & P. T. M. standing out

Course W. or W. thro 25 miles to the Eastward

by the Island

Latitude $14^{\circ} 57' 5$

Thursday 11

Long at 2 P.M. $6^{\circ} 53'$

All these 24 hours lively traides & light
squalls at intervals During the night attended
with light rain & ships in sight first part
later one all out sailde us by having
out more sail but we being an alder spauter
do not hurry our selves in hopes to come without
of some of the ne^{er} spauting fish & make
them our prise

Latitude $13^{\circ} 33'$

Friday 12

at 2 P.M. $8^{\circ} 18'$

All these 24 hours strong traides Middle
squally wind SSE & SE under 3 T. G. sails
& P. T. M. standing sail & a good lookout
kept Course W. or W.

Latitude $12^{\circ} 00'$

Saturday 13

Long at 2 P.M. $10^{\circ} 04'$

All these 24 hours strong traides & passing
claudes Saw nothing Course W. or W.

Variation about 14 points westerly Latitude $10^{\circ} 16'$

Sunday 14

Long at 3 P.M. $11^{\circ} 45'$

All these 24 hours lively traids & flying
claudes & rugged saw nothing
Course W. or W. by W.

Latitude $9^{\circ} 07'$

Long at 2 P.M. $13^{\circ} 07'$

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From Cape of Goodhope towards Kewbe

Monday 15 of April 1839

All these 24 hours lively trades Middle
light squally attended with light rain at
2 P.M. the Isle of Ascension Bore N.W. by
Distance 90 miles steer N.W. variation 14 point
Westerly at 3 P.M. took in T.G. Sails
T.G. Studing sail kept to the wind with
the T. Sail to the mast heading to S.W.
at Daylight kept up at 5^h 30^m saw the
land bearing North Dist 20 miles by Estimation
at 12 Meridian North point bore E.S.E.
Dist 8 miles saw a barque, lying in
the roads So Ends saw the flag on the
telegraph staff & C watch Employed in
Ships Duty

Latitude 7° 55'
Longitude at 2 P.M. 14° 30'

Tuesday 16

All these 24 hours lively trades
& pleasant weather at 6 P.M. sent up
T.G. Studing sail boom & set the Sails
at 8^h 30^m raised sperm whales lowered
struck & turned up 4 killed five, & took
three along side of ship 3^h 30^m past
Meridian had 1st cable So Ends
eating Dinner



Wednesday 17

at 4 Commenced Cutting raised a
pearce & cut one head nearly off & cast
Dawn for the night at 5 P.M. called
All hands got breakfast & commenced
Cutting at 12 Meridian had them all
in ship on her Course & T Sails
set all these 24 hours lively trades &
fine weather at 4 P.M. a barque past across
our Stern steering N.W. So Ends Latitude 6° 48' S

Thursday 18

Longitude at 3 P.M. 16° 05' 30" W

All these 24 hours light trades & fine
weather first part Employed in Clearing over
the heads at 2 started the masts Cleared up &
washed off the Decks all the remainder part washed
down in water

Ship Leonidas of Fairhaven

Friday 19 of April 1839

All these 24 hours light trades & fine weather with passing clouds & the same heavy middle part watch Employed in Bailing at 12 Meridian finished turned up sixty bbls on deck so ends weather same hat Latitude $5^{\circ} 05'$

Saturday 20

All these 24 hours light trades & pleasant weather first part watch Employed in clearing & washing decks set St. J. Mast standing sails & main T. G. D. later painting spars wind aft clear & hot weather Course N.W. by W. Latitude $4^{\circ} 46'$

Sunday 21

Long at 3 P.M. $19^{\circ} 44'$

All these 24 hours light trades from S.E. by S. with passing clouds first part watch Employed in painting finest Mast yards & booms & had a beautiful day for the work at 9 A.M. A merchant ship coast our Stern about 5 miles Dist Standing to S.W. see C.M. B. W. Latitude $3^{\circ} 19'$

Monday 22

Long at 3 P.M. $21^{\circ} 09'$

All these squalls of -
Bil sixty

trades & same
Down the
Latitude $2^{\circ} 30'$

Tuesday 23

First part light trades & fair middle & later variable & squally with heavy rain & same lightning wind from W.S.W. to East but not much wind in the squalls Latitude $1^{\circ} 29'$

Wednesday 24

Long at 2 P.M. Merid $23^{\circ} 08'$

First & middle parts light trades from East to W.E. & same light squalls later from North & fine watch Employed in ships duty saw nothing Latitude 35 miles
Long at 2 P.M. $24^{\circ} 11'$

From Cape Good Hope towards the
Thursday 25 of April 1839

First & Middle parts small breezes
from North to NW & pleasant later
small breezes from SW & WSW with heavy
rain at 11³⁰ Sun broke out Course
NW by N Latitude 30° 25'

Friday 26

First & Middle parts of these 24
hours small breezes from South to NE
trailing with Calms attended with rain
at 9 AM took 1st strong squall from
SE & attended with heavy rain Double
raft 3 sails at 12 more moderate

Course NW by N No Observation

Long at 3 PM 25° 2'

Saturday 27

Lat by Dub Alt at 3³⁰ 30° 10'

Commences with light breezes from
North & NE & rainy toward all reefs &
Wanted Sat. M. D. G. Sail at 2 Calm at 3 small
breezes from SE at 4 Calm middle light
breezes from SE & fair all sail set
later light airs & Calms & vary but ambient
the gill & repaired & bent it again
watch employed in Sundry galls of Ships
Duty at 12 Meridian had a slight squall
from SE & attended with heavy rain
So Ends Course NW by N Latitude 30° 45' N

Sunday 28

Lat at 11 PM by Meridian of Moon 25°

First part light airs all round the
Camps & Calms with very heavy rain
& some thunder & lightning at 6 a smart
breeze sprung up from ESE thick
& heavy rain at 7 30 Calm at 9 fine breeze
from ESE Lat 30° G. Sails 1st Gibb & Mainsail
& shared of the Moon shines with renewed
brightness & the stars the stars came
trickling one by one & glisten with brightness
in the clear & blue sky as the dark & heavy clouds
pass slowly by forced by the lovely breeze that
we feel & settle away in the west at 10 Lat 30° 45' N
Took studding sails at 12 G. S. Studding sails
middle & later fine breeze & Latitude 31° 33'
fine weather at 2 PM 31° 33'

Remarks On Board Ship Leonie

Monday 27th of April 1839

First part lively breezes from ESE
with passing clouds wind to Nall to SE &
took in standing sails & hoist up middle
squally heavy showers attended with
thunder & lightning later fresh trades
& mostly cloudy wind VE Course
on W. By N. So Ends watch employed in
ships duty

Lat By C.C. ---

2 = 300

Long at 3 P.M.

28 = 48

Tuesday 30

All these 24 hours strong trades from
WSE & mostly cloudy made at Course
on W. By N. later on bent to sail to repair bent
& another Ends with light rain No Observation

Wednesday

1st of May

All these 24 hours strong trades from
WSE By N. & mostly cloudy & light S. &
Main S. G. Sails full made about W. N.
Course these 24 hours we keep at good clean
full & let her ship all the while & that
is slow at the best

Latitude 4° 58'

the sea is rough & starts Long at 2 P.M. 32° 22'

the leak again from 4 to 500 strokes per hour
finest repairing S. G. Sail & on bent Main
S. G. Sail to repair

Thursday 2

All these 24 hours strong trades from WSE
& mostly cloudy & rough S. G. Sails
full Course W. N. By N. So Ends watch
employed in ships duty repairing
Torsail at 12 finest it

Latitude 6° 20'

Friday 3

Long at 2 P.M. 34° 12'

All these strong WSE trades & overcasts
later some light squalls of rain the
sea rough & our ship makes at good
deal of water watch employed in
repairing mainsail Course W. N. By N.
S. G. Sails & S. G. Sails set most part
of the time

North Star it is pleasing to arise more Latitude 7° 58'
the north Star appears out of Long at 2 P.M. 36° 00'

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From Capetown towards Newbed

Saturday 4 of May 1839

All these 24 hours strong trades
from ESE to ESE & some squally
Course WNW So Ends watch employed
in Ships Duty { Allacore Latitude $9^{\circ} 20' N$
Caught A large Dæd Long at 3 P.M. $38^{\circ} 02' N$

Sunday 5

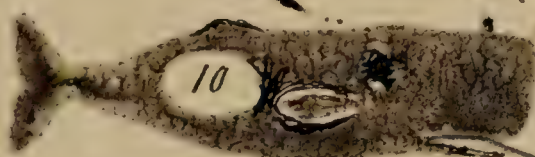
First part strong trades took in
T.G. Sails & T. Gill squally Middle fine
Sat T.G. Sails hoist up later wind
ESE Clear & pleasant with A lively
breeze T Mast & T.G. standing sails
Set So Ends Course E.W. Latitude $10^{\circ} 47'$

By Lunar Long at 10 P.M. $39^{\circ} 47'$

By Chron at 2 P.M. $39^{\circ} 51'$

Monday 6

All these 24 hours strong trades
Middle squally wind from ESE to
ESE Course E.W. Latitude $12^{\circ} 04'$
Saw nothing watch Long at 2 P.M. $42^{\circ} 12' 30''$
Employed in Ships Duty



Tuesday 7

First part strong breezes & fine
Middle light & squally later fresh
& fine & Clear T Mast Main T Mast
standing sails Set at 8 Saw A small
breach at 9 lowered for A shoal of
Sperm whales struck fine & saved
three at 3 Past Meridian had them
All Cabled took in sail & commenced
got Dinner Observation Latitude about $13^{\circ} 20'$

Wednesday 8

All these 24 hours strong trades
& fine weather at 4 P.M. commenced
Cutting Cut in two the smallest of the
whales & layed by the other over night
at 8 P.M. had him cut in made sail
kept off WNW by W our Course cleared
away the heads started the works &
washt off Saw A sail off our Latitude $13^{\circ} 47'$
Sea guater & tart Long 2 P.M. 46°

Remarks On Board Ship

Thursday 9th of May 1837

All these 24 hours. Strong trades from E. & E. & passing Clouds under Tails & Gills. Watch Employed in boiling Course W. Saw nothing first part An English Barque Cast our stern Starboard tack aboard. Cast hall on it win

Latitude 15 07

Long at 8 30 m A.M. By Chro 45° 36'

By Lunar 46° 38'

Friday 10

All these 24 hours Strong trades Middle some squally. At 2 P.M. Cooled down Cleared & washed Decks later Coopersed & Stowed down the three whales Made 35 hbl. So Ends Lat 16 43 Course W Long at 3 P.M. 49° 16'

Saturday 11

All these 24 hours Strong trades & fine weather Course W.W. watch Employed in ship's duty So Ends with T & Gails & T & Main T Mast Studingsails set

Latitude 18 23

Sunday 12

Long at 2 P.M. 51 30

All these 24 hours fresh trades from E & E to East & fine weather later set L. Studingsail Course W.W. So Ends with all drawing sail set T Mast & T & G. mast Studingsails set Latitude 20° 14' Saw considerable quantities of gulf weeds Long at 2 P.M. 53° 16'

Monday 13

All these 24 hours light SE winds & passing Clouds later part west ship for painting So Ends Course W.W. By

Latitude 21 40

Tuesday 14

Long at 3 P.M. 54 49

All these 24 hours light SE winds & fine All sail set sent up main royal yard & set the sail later watch Employed in painting inside of the ship Course W.W. By

Latitude 22 45

Long at 2 55 54

(Scot) bid for

Journal From Capetown towards

Wednesday 15 of May 1839

Light part light at times & fine
finest painting later lively from
SSW a large humpback whale
followed our wake for several
hours lowered one boat board on
it to line & secured away in hopes
to strike but he kept to good old
lookout to let it boat range along
side of line speed about 5 knots

Latitude $23^{\circ} 54'$

Thursday 16

at large

First & middle part lively breeze
from SW & squally at 2 P.M. saw a
brig of our weather bore standing
to the south at 3 P.M. light squalls of rain
& sharp lightning from the S.E. Ends
with light & baffling air & fine weather
employed in ship's duty

Latitude $24^{\circ} 54'$

Friday 17

Long at 2 P.M.

Commenced with calm at 5 A.M. light
breeze springing up from W.S.W. painted
out side of ship later part light breeze
from W.S.W. clear & pleasant weather
saw the sail of our weather guinea to the
all sail set standing to the west watch
employed in ship's duty

Latitude $25^{\circ} 28'$

Saturday 18

Long at 2 P.M. $58^{\circ} 52'$

All day 24 hours light air from
W.S.W. & Calms clear weather at 6 P.M.
Capt. Boarded a small Spanish Brig
3 miles under our lee to Eng. & took
aboard watch employed in ship's duty

Latitude $27^{\circ} 41'$ (S)

Long at 1-30 P.M. by Chro $58^{\circ} 28'$
By Lunar $58^{\circ} 31'$

Sunday 19

All these 24 hours small breezes
from W.S.W. & Calms & part 3 sail
in sight later one

Latitude $28^{\circ} 44'$

Long at 1 P.M. by Chro $58^{\circ} 54'$
By Lunar $59^{\circ} 41'$

Ship Leonidas From Capetown

Monday 20th Day of May 1839

Friday First part of these 24 hours
Calmy Middle light airs from North
& Clear later light breezes from NE to
ESE Sat AM Studing sails & the royal
sail on Main I. sail & repaired
Middle Stitch it bent another to
Cooks Course NW by W Latitude 24° 37'

Tuesday 21

Lang none

AM these 24 fine breezes from
ESE to ESE AM Sail set to best
advantage Course NW by W W 9 AM
boarded the Premaphedite Brig Commerce
of Boston Dock Commanded 11 Days
from Bangau Bound to St. Cruz
bought one bb of Potatoes May Come
very Exceptable about this time So Ends
Employed in Picking Boats & other
jobs Latitude 26° 11'

Wednesday 22

Lang at 2 P.M. By Lunar 61° 31'
By Chron — — — 61° 36' 3"

AM these 24 hours fresh Breezes from
East to ESE passing Clouds AM Sail
set to the best advantage Course NW
by W So Ends watch Employed in
Ships duty saw great quantities of Gulf
weeds Latitude 27° 33' 0"

Thursday 23

Lang at 3 P.M. By Lunar 64° 15'
By Chron — — — 63° 46'

AM these 24 hours strong winds from
East to ESE Middle part equally took
in Studing sails later passing Clouds Sat
7 P.M. & lower 2 sails So Ends watch
Employed in sundry jobs of Ships duty
pump some Oil Course NW by W Latitude 29° 19'

Lang at 2 P.M. 65° 11' 15"

Friday 24

AM these 24 hours lively breezes from
East to ESE Clear & pleasant weather
at 8 P.M. Boarded schooner Bontan-
son 1 Day from Plymouth Bound
to St. Cruz lumber loaded So
Employed in Ships duty

Towards New Bedford H. C. Stuart.

Saturday 25 of May 1839

First part lively breezes from NE middle light weather fine. Ends with Calm this day finest fitting ship Course N. N. W. one sail in sight

Latitude $52^{\circ} 54'$

Sunday 26

Long at 2 P.M. $68^{\circ} 30'$

First & Middle parts Calm later small airs from West Clear & pleasant 2 sail in sight Broake out & Coopersed about sixty bbls of oil Bature ndicks which had leaked about 4 bbls of whale oil

Monday 27

Latitude $52^{\circ} 13'$

All these 24 hours light SW breezes Clear & pleasant as May at 3 P.M. boarded the Schooner Baltimore of New Haven & Days from New York Bound to Nassau & New Providence for Pine Apples B. got papers & potatoes from her

Long at 2 $69^{\circ} 11'$

Latitude $53^{\circ} 19'$

Tuesday 28

Long at 5³⁰ P.M. By Star Lunar $69^{\circ} 58'$

First part lively breezes from NW middle fresh saw 1st Spanish Brig at 1 P.M. Stearing East at Mddnight 4 ship cast anchor water later strong breezes & flying clouds took in 1st & 2nd Lower & Main T. Mast studding sails 1st & Mizen T. G. sail

Latitude $35^{\circ} 26'$

Wednesday 29

Long at 2 P.M. $70^{\circ} 16'$

Calm minor with strong breezes from SW & heavy at 4³⁰ fresh sails squally & some rain Doubles reefed Field mainsail at 7 wind SSE field Mizen T. Sail middle part & more moderate turned out one reef & set 1st T. Sail at 4³⁰ some more moderate turned out all reefs set 1st & 2nd T. M. studding sail wind SSW squally looking weather during the night later with lightning in the north Course N. N. W. at 3 P.M. water 78 by thermometer varied during the night from 75 to 70 at 8 P.M. wind shifted to N. N. W. Doubles reefed So Ends No Observation

Latitude By S R. $37^{\circ} 10'$

By Chron $70^{\circ} 50'$

Towards New Bedford H. O. Stuart, Com.

Sunday 2 of June 1839

Commences with small clouds from
 NW & hot & heavy clouds in the NW
 at 3 A breeze sprung up from North
 At 4³⁰ strong breeze from ENE & raining
 took in T & Mizzen T. G. sails & tacked
 ship At 7 put one reef in T. Sails & set
 M. T. G. sail over at 7³⁰ tacked ship
 Breeze sail light Bearing NW by N point
 Sudear at 11³⁰ at 11 wind gay head & Breeze hunk
 former bearing E by N later NW at 1³⁰
 tacked ship fresh breezes from NW by N
 & fair at 4 AM tacked again Breeze sail
 Bare NW Dist 9 miles at 8 tacked ship
 again saw 2 pigs Bare NW Dist 14 miles
 Dist spoke 2 boats Superior At greete
 number of coasting vessels bound West
 At 12 Meridian small breezes & fine
 at 3 fine breeze from South at 7 run
 in to the mud of Fair haven wharfs at
 11 got within one ships length of the wharf
 the tide ebbed filled sails & turned in
 to Ends at 6 AM all hands went ashore
 to Ends this day Enchording 42 hours &
 At Fare of 12 months & 8 Days with 14
 cargo of 1000 lbs of whale & 1000 lb of oil

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